

## U-BOAT SINKINGS OFF COAST OF U.S. ONLY 25,000 TONS

Raid Will Hamper Food  
Shipments But Otherwise  
Is Not Serious

## 16 LIVES ARE LOST

Insurance Rate Is Reduced  
In Spite Of Submarine  
Efforts

(American Wireless To Reuters)  
Washington, June 6, via Cavite and  
Koukaza.—Mr. Hoover, the Food Con-  
troller, said today that the recent raid  
had hampered food shipments over-  
seas.

Secretary Daniels said: "The Navy  
will continue to keep the road open  
for men, munitions and food supplies  
to the front."

The precautions are regarded as  
adequate. Sixteen persons from one  
steamer were the only lives lost. A  
neutral steamship was sunk June 4.  
The total tonnage sunk by the raiders  
in two weeks' activities is under  
25,000.

The Treasury Department regards  
the submarine raids on the Atlantic  
Coast as unimportant. It has reduced  
the life insurance rate to fifteen cents  
from twenty-five cents for each  
\$100, for officers and crews of mer-  
chant vessels travelling in the war  
zone.

The Department has decided not to  
advance the insurance rate for vessels.

## CONSCRIPTION BILL FOR HONGKONG ADVANCED

Passed On Second Reading By  
Legislative Council With Age  
Limit Lowered To 40

(Reuters Pacific Service)  
Hongkong, June 7.—The Legisla-  
tive Council has passed the second  
reading of the conscription bill.  
The age limit has been reduced from  
41 to 40 and the exemption period  
extended from four to six months.  
It is proposed to grant in the Colony  
\$200 a month to each wife with 425  
for each child as a minimum, with  
an addition in special cases put for-  
ward by the Tribunal in addition to  
the separation allowances payable  
under the Army Regulations. The  
allowances payable outside the  
Colony will be \$20 per month for  
each wife and \$10 for each child.  
It is also proposed to insure each  
man's life for \$2,000, if married, and  
\$1,000 if single.

## AGAIN DENIES PETITION FOR SHUN PAO'S RETURN

Mixed Court Rules To Hear  
Further Evidence On Paper's  
Value Before Decision

A further application for the  
return of the Shun Pao was made in  
the Mixed Court yesterday by Mr.  
John Hays, counsel for Shih Tse-bay,  
the former owner, and was refused by  
Assessor Row and Magistrate Yu. Mr.  
Platt, for the defendants, argued that  
the paper is now in the hands of the  
Japanese and that his clients should  
be obliged to pay damages. The  
Court, after hearing the argument,  
ruled that it would hear further  
testimony on the question of the  
paper's value and the amount of  
damages to be assessed.

Mr. Hays in his application con-  
tended that the defendants had taken  
advantage of the recent judgment  
and were delaying matters in their  
valuation of the property. He sub-  
mitted that the idea of the defense  
was to pay the damages if the figure  
sued their pockets and to return  
the paper if not.

Mr. Platt declared that since the  
Court's order of May 31 the defense  
had lost no time in compiling an  
estimate of the goodwill and machin-  
ery of the plant in its original  
state and said that he expected this  
valuation would be ascertained by  
the fore part of next week.

## Woman's Club Garden Fete To Be Held This Afternoon Whether It Rains Or Not

If Weather Is Wet It Will Take Place In Verdun  
Gardens; Interesting Program Is Arranged

Rain or shine the Red Cross  
Garden Party arranged by the  
American Woman's Club will be  
held this afternoon. If the weather  
is fine the fete will take place at 405  
Avenue Joffre and if it is unfavor-  
able out of doors the scene will be  
transferred to the Verdun Gardens,  
only half a block away at 474  
Avenue Joffre, where shelter in  
plenty is available.

The Garden Party is scheduled to  
start at 3.30 p.m. or a bit later and  
an extensive and varied program of  
entertainment and distractions has  
been arranged by the Committee.  
Preparations have been made for a  
very large attendance and a very  
satisfying afternoon is promised to  
all. Refreshments in apparently  
limitless variety are to be provided  
and there will be music and dancing  
for the guests on the verandas.

The entertainment program in-  
cludes a series of picturesque dancing  
numbers by girls from St. Mary's,  
the American School and the Y. W.  
C. A. School of Physical Education.  
The young women from St. Mary's  
School will present a costume dance  
symbolizing "The Growth of the  
Flowers" and also four colorful  
numbers representing the four  
seasons. The American School  
children, from the sixth, seventh and  
eighth grades, will give folk dances  
in which they have been drilled by

members of the Woman's Club. The  
program to be given by the Chinese  
girls of the Y. W. C. A., forming the  
second number on the program and  
following the American School  
feature will be a set of dances in  
costume similar to those which were  
presented at the recent Normal  
School pageant and which aroused  
so much admiration on that occasion.

The only charge in connection  
with the Garden Party is that of  
admission—\$1, refreshments, dan-  
cing and entertainment being in-  
cluded. This is made possible by  
the fact that the Club members have  
donated practically all expenses. The  
Committee has been assured of  
strong support among the Allied  
nationalities and a cordial general  
invitation to attend is extended to  
all Allies and Americans. Tickets  
may be secured at the doors.

The chairmen of the different  
committees for the fete are: Ad-  
mission—Mrs. McCoy; Coffee—Mrs.  
J. C. Clarke; Tea—Mrs. Viloudaki;  
Funch—Mrs. Blechynen; Dancing—  
Mrs. Petrocelli; Decoration—Mrs. C.  
H. Webb; Children's Entertainment—  
Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Loehr; Child-  
ren's Waitresses—Mrs. H. L. Hen;  
Ushers—Miss Russell and Mrs. Lyon;  
Refreshments—Mrs. MacBeth and  
Arrangements—Mrs. E. O. Baker.  
The executive board of the club  
are expected to be at the fete at 3  
o'clock to receive the guests.

## FORCE IS MOBILISED TO ATTACK BOLSHEVIKI

Admiral Koltchak Has 1,200  
Russians And 600 Chinese  
Along Railway

(Reuters Pacific Service)  
Peking, June 7.—Admiral Kol-  
tachak, the Commander of the forces  
of the Chinese Eastern Railway, has  
massed 1,200 Russian troops at Pogran-  
itchnaya for an offensive against  
the Bolsheviks along the line to  
Vladivostok. He has 1,200 Russians  
and 600 Chinese and also, under the  
independent command of a Chinese  
officer, about 2,500 Chinese troops  
who will guard the frontier against  
a Bolshevik invasion.

General Kalmikoff has two hun-  
dred men at Pogranitchnaya. They  
have definitely agreed to support  
Admiral Koltchak.

The Bolsheviks are massed at  
Grodokova, five miles from Pogran-  
itchnaya. It is reported that 300  
armed prisoners are supporting them  
and there is a large force at Nikolai.  
The Chinese troops will not  
participate in the offensive but will  
merely be used to guard the railway  
communications, as part of the  
Chinese interests.

It is confirmed that the Bolsheviks  
at Grodokova are stopping all west-  
bound trains and removing men be-  
tween the ages of 18 and 35 who do  
not possess foreign passports.

Reliable reports state that the  
Bolsheviks in the Pri-Amur district  
are mostly immature men and boys,  
enjoying a position of authority  
without realising their responsibilities.  
The industries of the district  
are almost completely paralysed,  
the men refusing to work and the bulk  
of the population is waiting the joint  
intervention of the Allies, which  
would be welcomed.

General Semenov is reported to  
have arrested Shilneko, charging  
him with being responsible for the  
defeats inflicted on Semenov's forces  
while Semenov was at Harbin. Since  
the return of the latter he has  
succeeded in reuniting his forces and  
driving the Bolsheviks beyond the  
River Onon. He has silenced the  
Bolshevik batteries at Olvannia and  
has commenced the construction of  
a temporary wooden bridge.

Harbin, June 8.—Interviewed,  
General Kalmikoff declared:  
"I acknowledge as my chiefs Gen-  
eral Peltshoff and Admiral Koltchak.  
With regard to General Semenov, I  
am prepared, if required, to give  
him all possible help and from the  
first days of its existence my detach-  
ment has been co-operating with  
him. At the present moment my  
force of Cossacks and volunteers is  
not very strong but it is supplied  
with a sufficient quantity of food,  
arms and ammunition. I hope it  
will advance against the Bolsheviks  
as I am convinced that then many  
Cossacks will flock to me and I will  
manage to restore order in the  
Ussurisk district."

## ANNUAL INSPECTION OF FIRE BRIGADE TODAY

Review By Municipal Council  
Follows Official Opening Of  
Hongkew Station

The annual inspection of the  
Shanghai Fire Brigade and the  
official opening of the Hongkew Fire  
Station will take place this after-  
noon when the entire department  
will be seen in action following the  
inspection by the members of the  
Municipal Council and the presenta-  
tion of trophies. Following the dis-  
play, the station will be open to the  
public. Representatives of the  
French Brigade and of the depart-  
ments in the Chinese city and  
Chapel will attend.

The Hongkew station, completed  
some months ago at a cost of  
\$70,000, will be officially opened by  
Chairman E. C. Pearce of the Muni-  
cipal Council at four o'clock and the  
brigade inspection follows. The at-  
tendance cups and insurance com-  
panies' shield will then be presented  
and the display will be the closing  
feature.

A station call will turn out the  
Hongkew company and the firemen  
will scale the building with pomper  
ladder, show small control nozzles at  
work and attack the front portion of  
the "burning" station with one and  
one half inch appliances.

The general alarm will then be  
given and all companies will re-  
spond. Four lines of hose will be  
carried to the top of the tower with  
a stream from each pump. The  
display will conclude with the rais-  
ing of the turntable escape to its full  
height, 90 feet.

The Hongkew station is one of the  
most modern stations in the Far  
East and houses three pieces of ap-  
paratus.

## Shipments To China Authorised By U.S.

Export License Granted For  
Blast Furnaces For Ship-  
building Plant

(American Wireless To Reuters)  
Washington, June 6, via Cavite  
and Koukaza.—The War Trade  
Board has licensed the export of  
two 450-ton blast furnaces consigned  
to China. The furnaces are des-  
tined for a plant operated by a Japa-  
nese company which is turning out  
pig-iron for building Japanese war-  
ships.

## DR. SUN GOES TO FORMOSA

Is Expected To Leave There  
For Japan

(Reuters Pacific Service)  
Peking, June 7.—Sun Yat-sen  
arrived in Amoy yesterday and em-  
barked on the s.s. Amakusa Maru  
for Formosa, from which place he  
will probably proceed to Japan.

## Famous 'Blue Devils Of France' Entertained In New York



Officers of the "Blue Devils of France," the famous Chasseurs Alpins, who are in New York with one hundred of their veterans of the trenches to aid in Liberty Loan work. They are, from left to right, Lieutenants Albert Le Moal, P. M. Poderin, Jean Canal, Roger Cluzeau and Marcel Lavie.

## PEKING CONTRIBUTES TO TANK CAMPAIGN HERE

Liang Shih-yi And Others Take  
£3,000 Of British Loan;  
Total Now £111,450

The impelling rumble of the Shang-  
hai Tanks has been heard in Peking,  
four of which city's prominent citizens  
yesterday capitulated to the extent of  
£3,000 to the Chinese Tank Week  
campaign here. The contributions  
from the capital include £1,000 sub-  
scriptions from Liang Shih-yi, former  
Minister of Finance and leader of the  
Chiao-tung faction, and from Chow  
Tse-chi, his principal aide.

A further £1,000 subscription to  
the British war loans was forth-  
coming during the day from the  
Publication Committee of the China  
Medical Missionary Society and the  
total figures for the campaign to date  
are now £111,450. The Chinese  
Tank Committee announces that the  
list will close at 4 p.m. next Monday.  
Following is the detailed report:  
Chartered Bank of India,  
Australia and China ... £ 5,650  
Hongkong and Shanghai  
Banking Corporation ... 89,750  
Mercantile bank of India,  
Limited ... 16,050  
£111,450

As per previous lists ... £106,050  
Mr. Chang Kut-foo ... 50  
" Woo Fong-ching ... 100  
" Liang Yu-kee ... 100  
" K. M. Yue ... 100  
" Chang Fong ... 50  
" Chan Tuck-kee ... 50  
" Chang Cheng-ke ... 50  
Messrs. The Cotton Yarn  
Guild ... 200  
Mr. Ling Yur-may ... 100  
" Sing Woo-kee ... 200  
" Chwang Shih-chi ... 100  
" Tsang Sui-chow ... 100  
" Chow Song-kee ... 100  
" Kwang Yui-kee ... 100  
The Publication Committee,  
The China Medical Mis-  
sionary Society ... 1,000  
Mr. Liang Shih-yi, Peking ... 1,000  
Chow Tse-chi, Peking ... 1,000  
" Li Shih-lao, Peking ... 500  
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cause it is the only thing Prussia  
respects."

## SIAMESE MINISTER TO GERMANY IS IN U.S.

Kaiser's Government Assures  
People America Is Only  
Bluffing, He Says

(American Wireless To Reuters)  
San Francisco, June 6, via Cavite  
and Koukaza.—Prince Traidos Pra-  
bandh of Siam is here on his way  
home with the Princess and five  
children.  
The Prince was formerly Siamese  
Minister to Germany, and left Ger-  
many eight months ago when Siam  
broke off relations. He declared  
that German officials tell the people  
that America is "only bluffing" and  
added that the German people  
believe whatever the officials tell  
them.

## Independent Poland With Access To Sea Indorsed By Allies

Conference Also Expresses Sym-  
pathy For Czechoslovak And  
Jugo-Slav Aspirations

(Reuters Agency War Service)  
London, June 5.—Press Bureau.—  
The Prime Ministers of Great Brit-  
ain, France and Italy at their meet-  
ing at Versailles agreed to the fol-  
lowing declaration:  
(a) The creation of a united and  
independent Polish State with free  
access to the sea constitutes one of  
the conditions of a solid and just  
peace and the rule of right in  
Europe.  
(b) They associate themselves with  
America in an expression of earnest  
sympathy for the nationalistic as-  
pirations towards freedom of the  
Czechoslovak and the Jugo-Slav  
peoples.

## NORWEGIAN STEAMER SEIZED BY GERMANS

Ship Bound For Stockholm Is  
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## WESTERN KIANGSI FLOODED

General Chen Kwan-yuan, the  
Kiangsi Tuchen, reported yesterday  
that flood has inundated western  
Kiangsi, according to a telegram last  
night. Telegraphic communications  
in the district have been cut for the  
last two days.

## The Weather

Cloudy and misty weather. The  
maximum temperature yesterday was  
76 and the minimum 60.3, the figures  
for the corresponding day last year  
being 87.4 and 60.4.

## BATTLE POSITIONS CHANGE HANDS BUT ON A FIXED FRONT

Fighting Fluctuates But  
Germans Are Unable To  
Make Advance

## GAIN AT RHEIMS

Draw Line Closer Around  
City, Holding Three-  
Fourths of Circle

## HELP FOR FRENCH

Reserves Continue To Pour  
In; London And Paris  
Praise Americans

(Reuters Agency War Service)  
Paris, June 5, 7.50 p.m.—During  
the past three days fighting has  
taken place on practically the same  
positions, many of which have  
changed hands in conformity with  
fluctuations of the battle.

This fixing of the fighting line is  
an important point. It leads to a  
more settled situation which every  
day will help us to sustain in conse-  
quence of the continuous despatch of  
larger and larger forces and material  
to the points threatened.

Among these troops special men-  
tion is due to the Americans, who  
had hardly taken their place in the  
line before they distinguished them-  
selves by straightening out a ticklish  
position in an important sector.

Our German prisoners are the first  
to recognise the powerful defense  
they have met with and the cruel  
losses which have been inflicted on  
them. In a letter found on an  
officer of the 37th regiment of in-  
fantry of the 103rd Division, who was  
captured on May 31, reads:

"Yesterday was a hard day. We  
attacked and received considerable  
fire from machine-guns from three  
sides. Our losses were considerable.  
"Today we arrived at the Marne.  
How shall we be received there? I  
hope we shall soon be relieved as I  
have only fifty-five men left. If you  
knew the sights witnessed here you  
would count your existence doubly  
calm."

## Draw Closer Around Rheims

London, June 5.—The Germans  
have drawn their line closer round  
Rheims and hold three-quarters of  
an armed circle.

The fluctuating character of the  
battle was strikingly illustrated  
yesterday. There was every rea-  
son to hope the enemy was  
held but he made another des-  
perate effort between the Aisne  
and the Ourcq, apparently endeavor-  
ing to outflank Villers-Cotterets,  
which he had failed to capture by a  
frontal attack. This area flanks the  
Soissons-Paris Road and the pressure  
of the enemy here has been support-  
ed by fierce attacks on the wings,  
especially in the Compiègne area and  
the villages on either side of the  
Ourcq, which have been the scenes  
of some extremely hard fighting.

The enemy met with a measure of  
success but at excessive cost and  
military experts consider that the  
result of the fighting is favorable to  
the French, the enemy failing to  
make any impression at Villers-Cot-  
terets or in the Forest of Retz.

The part played by the American  
troops shows that the reserve the  
enemy affected to despise is already  
effectively in action.

## Germans Must Bring Up Guns

Reuters' correspondent at French  
headquarters, telegraphing at mid-  
night on the 4th, says that the  
enemy's activity has relaxed for the  
first time since May 27 and the battle  
seems to have reached a similar stage  
as marked the German offensive in  
Picardy by March 29, when the  
enemy's march had been definitively  
arrested. Now, as then, the enemy  
cannot hope to progress further until  
he has brought up his artillery. Re-  
newed attempts by the enemy must  
then be expected and they will be  
more violent than before but far  
greater odds are in our favor as the  
surprise stage has passed.

The American troops have already  
been engaged and borne themselves  
so well as to justify the most opti-

## 300,000 MOBILISED IN U.S. IN ONE WEEK

As Soon As Men Leave Camps  
For France Others  
Replace Them

(American Wireless To Reuters)  
Washington, June 6, via Cavite  
and Koukaza.—General Crowder,  
speaking today, said:  
"The Training Camps are kept  
full despite steady and rapid ship-  
ments of troops to Europe. When-  
ever a bunk is empty, we fill it im-  
mediately."  
Mobilisation in June thus far  
totals 300,000 and more men are ex-  
pected. Training in America has  
been shortened to utilise to the  
utmost the increasing amounts of  
available shipping, and training will  
be completed in France.

Reports by States indicate that  
750,000 of the 1918 class registered  
on Wednesday and expect an early  
call.

## CLEMENCEAU GIVEN VOTE OF CONFIDENCE

Supported By Deputies After  
He Gives Assurance Allies  
Will Hold

(Reuters Agency War Service)  
Paris, June 5.—Yesterday in the  
French Chamber of Deputies the Pre-  
mier, M. Clemenceau, delivered a  
spirited speech in which he said:  
"When Russia failed, who could  
have imagined that the million Ger-  
man soldiers who were rendered  
available would not be used against  
us? Who could have expected any-  
thing but the blow from a battering  
ram which is now being delivered?  
And how was it possible under such  
circumstances that our line would not  
give way in some places?"

Yielding had taken place, he said,  
but there was nothing that need dis-  
turb confidence in troops which have  
leaders worthy of them in every  
respect. General Foch and General  
Petain. General Foch enjoyed the  
confidence of the Allies to such an  
extent that at the Inter-Allied Con-  
ference on Monday they requested  
that this confidence should be recorded  
in the official report. The Germans  
were staking everything on the chance  
of terrorising the French and making  
them give up the struggle, but Ger-  
man effectiveness were dwindling away  
like those of the Allies and in the  
meantime the Americans were coming  
in for decisive encounters.

Confidence to the Government was  
then voted by the majority.

## GERMAN SAILING SHIPS PUT INTO OPERATION

Vessels Seized On Pacific Turn-  
ed Over To Company In  
San Francisco

(American Wireless To Reuters)  
San Francisco, June 6, via Cavite  
and Koukaza.—All German sailing  
ships seized on the Pacific by the  
United States are reported to have  
been assigned to the firm of Struthers  
and Dixon for operation.



matic forecasts. The enemy must have noted their numbers and efficiency and therefore is likely to exert his utmost effort to reach a decision before the autumn, when the increased numbers of American troops will have wiped out the enemy's present superiority in numbers.

Europe therefore is likely to experience the bloodiest summer it has ever known.

Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reports this evening:

As the result of an attempted raid by the enemy in the neighborhood of Morlaucourt we took twenty-one prisoners.

Aviation.—The weather has been overcast. The enemy aircraft was inactive on Tuesday. We brought down one and drove down one enemy machine. We dropped fourteen tons of bombs during the day and night. No British machines were lost.

(By wireless).—A German official communique reports:

We threw back the enemy towards Amblyen-Cutry and captured positions northwards of Dommeles.

Press Bureau.—As a temporary measure General Sir William Robertson has been appointed Commander in Chief in Great Britain.

Americans Take Trenches

(American Wireless To Reuters)

Washington, June 6.—Cables received here state that French newspapers enthusiastically praise the American fighters in the recent battle in the neighborhood of the Marne, where they are credited with killing 1,000 Germans at Chateau Thierry and rendering other valuable help in halting the Germans and reducing the combat to local engagements.

General Pershing reports that 30 Americans penetrated to the third German line in the Lunerville sector, then attacked a hundred Germans with grenades, bayonets and rifles, inflicting heavy losses and suffering little themselves. American patrols also penetrated the foe's lines in Picardy, inflicting losses. A German aeroplane was destroyed.

**FUNERAL CLOTHES HINT**

**IN EXTORTION LETTERS**

**Senders Also Notify Chinese**

**Doctor's Friends Of His 'Demise'; They Send Wreaths**

Several suits of paper funeral clothes were among the gentle hints conveyed to a local Chinese doctor as incentive to his granting a "loan" of \$20, according to testimony taken in the Mixed Court in an extortion case yesterday. The court held however that the proof was insufficient to convict the two men charged and they were dismissed but one of them, who claims a captaincy in the "People's Army of Canton," was ordered expelled.

The recipient of the requests is Dr. Li Dah-foo of the Nanyang Dispensary. According to the testimony he first received a letter from one Lien Tsai-lung, the alleged captain asking for \$20. He paid no attention to it and shortly afterward received another letter, unsigned and containing joss paper and paper clothes such as are burned at funerals. This disconcerted the doctor somewhat but his irritation increased when friends in several other dispensaries began sending around wreaths and condolences to his family. They too had received letters. To cap it all he finally received a red paper suit representing the costume worn by Chinese convicts when sentenced to death.

The Court characterized Lien as a rascal and a revolutionary but stated that there was not sufficient evidence to convict and ordered his expulsion from the Settlement. Papers found in his possession set forth that he was commissioned a captain in the Cantonese army and authorized to recruit. He testified that the \$20 he requested was in the nature of a loan to take him to Canton.

## CAMPAIGN IS LAUNCHED FOR Y.M.C.A. HOTEL

Twenty Team Leaders Appointed To Organise Work Of Canvassing For \$250,000

The \$250,000 Y. M. C. A. hotel campaign was formally launched last night when more than fifty prominent Chinese gathered at a dinner at the Carlton and mapped out the work of canvassing for the fund between June 15 and June 29.

Twenty team leaders were elected, including ten directors of the association and the same number of prominent Chinese business men. Mr. C. T. Wang, who headed the Chinese committee for the recent American Red Cross drive, was elected chairman of the campaign committee. Each team leader will be assisted by twenty teamworkers.

Following an elaborate menu, President C. C. Nieh spoke on the moral support necessary for the success of the campaign. He expressed his appreciation to those present for their help, as he said, the financial responsibility that they were being called upon to bear was difficult. He quoted the words of President Wilson, "You can test any community by its interest in the Y. M. C. A." and emphasised the importance of the expansion of the local institution to battle against the evils in Shanghai.

Dr. H. C. Mei, the vice-president, was then called on to address the gathering. After recounting his unpleasant experience in a lodging house when he arrived at Shanghai two and half years ago, he praised in glowing terms the benefit he received from the Y. M. C. A. during the three months he stayed in their dormitory.

"Why, it was the making of me," said Dr. Mei. "We returned students from America come back with high ideals. It was a sad plight to have no one to welcome us, no proper companionship and no proper place to live. It was a trying psychological turn. Unless a man has some assistance in his spiritual uplift under the circumstances he will go wrong, as some of my friends who came over with me have gone wrong—and there were four or five of them that went wrong among the 14 that travelled with me on the same boat."

The speaker then related the incident of several of his clients in the course of his legal profession—men who left their homes in the interior to seek wealth and fortune in this great metropolis who had not only lost their money but also their manhood. This pitiful condition, he said, faces the returned student today. But the Y.M.C.A. for them and the men from the interior is like the oasis in the desert of crimes and pitiful disasters. He concluded by urging the audience to work hard for the movement in order to give proper shelter and proper spiritual uplift to the young men without friends and make them square, upright and grand men.

Mr. S. K. Tsao, the General Secretary, then outlined the work of the campaign and called for the election of the 20 team captains. In the course of his speech, he said that big work was not necessary dependent on money, but on the spirit of sacrifice. The Chinese Y.M.C.A. started with nothing and had grown to be an institution as it is today. Twelve Britishers gathered in London 50 years ago and planned the Y.M.C.A. movement. Today the Y.M.C.A. movement reaches every corner of the globe reported on the formation of a foreign auxiliary and expressed his gratitude to the British and American friends for their hearty endorsement and co-operation. He announced that Mr. T. P. Cobbs, manager of the British American Tobacco Co., had volunteered to contribute the sum of \$10,000. Both Mr. J. Johnston, President of the British Chamber of Commerce, and manager of Jardine, Matheson and Co., and Mr. A. G. Stephen, manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, have promised to assist. The speaker understood that Canton is planning to put up three branch buildings shortly and stated that Shanghai should not let Canton to get ahead of it, since it has always maintained its leadership in the Orient.

The team captains for the campaign are: Messrs. C. C. Nieh, T. Y. Lum, S. C. Chai, S. S. Chow, A. O'Brien, K. F. Chang, N. L. Han, K. S. Li, Wei Shiao-fu, N. Y. Chien, P. K. Chu, Li Fu-sung, Tien Shu-hing, Ling Chi-fah, Yang Teh-chung, Lo Pan-hui, Wang Su-hsien, Y. C. Tong, H. Y. Moh, and Drs. H. C. Mei and Fong F. Sec.

## Garden Party In Seoul For Italian Red Cross

Chemulpo Also To Participate In Fete To Be Given Today

Seoul will be the scene today of a garden party in aid of the Italian Red Cross, according to a correspondent who writes to Messrs. Viloudaki and Co. from Chemulpo. The affair is to be a joint event for both Seoul and Chemulpo and the support of all Allied residents of the latter place has been promised the Italian community at Seoul, assuring a great success. The household band of Prince Yi will be in attendance, as well as an amateur orchestra, and there will be a lottery. The party will be given in the spacious grounds of Mr. and Mrs. C. Tirlo.

**HSU SHIH-CHANG URGES**

**TEN DAYS' ARMISTICE**

**Makes Peace Appeal In Peking; Counter-Attack By Southerners In Fukien Wins**

Reuters Pacific Service

Peking, June 7.—Hsu Shih-chang, who is reported to be a candidate for the Presidency, arrived in Peking yesterday. He advocates a ten days' armistice in which the views of all the leaders can be ascertained and aims that the two prominent peace parties shall be reconciled.

The Cantonese troops have made a counter-attack and recovered Ung-kang, near Swatow, taking a thousand rifles and a million cartridges.

**Troops All Have Fever**

Sickness is hindering the progress of all the Northern troops on the various fronts, according to Chinese press reports. General Chen Kwanyuan of Kiangsi reports that his forces are unable to fight in the climate of Nanyang and temporary hospitals have been established to give them medical treatment. General Li Lieh-chun in a circular telegram claims that Nanyang has been captured by the Southern forces.

General Wu Pei-fu, commanding the Chihli forces left with him by General Tiao, telegraphed that the rebels are preparing for great offensive with no less than 80 battalions. They are aiming at Paoching, Yuhshien and Hungyang.

Following General Tsao Kun's request for the pardon of General Chang Hsun, General Chiang Kweli, the Tartar-general of Jehol Thursday made a similar request. He suggested that Chang be sent to the Hunan front with his original Ting Wu Army to fight the South.

Captain Tiao and Second Officer Tseng of the gunboat Chuchai, which rammed and sank the China Merchant's steamer, Kiangkwan, were brought up to Peking in custody and will be tried before court martial.

Pamphlets advocating the boycott of Japanese goods have appeared in Nanking. The police have issued proclamations ordering the prohibition of their circulation.

**Enemy Trading Act Broadened By Wilson**

(American Wireless To Reuters)

Washington, June 6, via Cavite and Kookana.—President Wilson has broadened the interpretation of the Trading with the Enemy law to include women whose husbands are enemy subjects, females interned by the Allied nations, enemy intriguers, firms with any member on the enemy list and enemy subjects outside the United States or resident in any enemy country since August 4, 1914.

**Cruiser Azuma Back From Indian Ocean**

Reuters Pacific Service

Tokio, June 7.—The cruiser Azuma, which has been patrolling in the Indian Ocean, returned to Maizuru yesterday.

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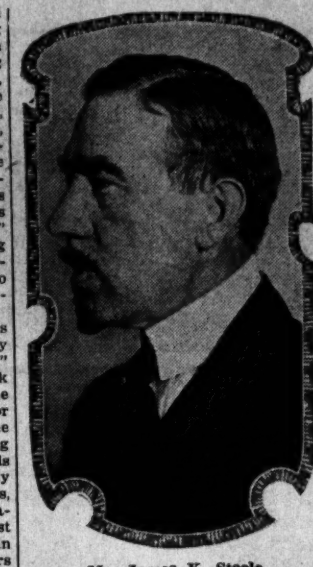
## Rush To Orient After War Is Predicted By T.K.K. Man

Advertising Manager Of Japanese Ship Line Now Making Survey In Anticipation Of Travel Boom

A tremendous rush of tourist travel to the Far East immediately following the conclusion of the war is foreseen by Mr. James K. Steele, advertising manager of the Toyo Kisen Kaisha, who arrived in Shanghai on the Korea Maru Thursday. Mr. Steele, who is stopping at the Astor House, has just concluded an exhaustive survey of tourist attractions in Japan, the Philippines and South China in anticipation of this increased travel. He is publisher of the Steamship Company's monthly illustrated magazine "Japan" and on his present trip is collecting latest information on travelling facilities, hotels and points of interest to use in an extensive advertising campaign.

"The Orient at the present time is receiving more newspaper publicity than any other part of the world," said Mr. Steele. "You can hardly pick up a paper without finding some article dealing with China, Japan or the Philippine Islands. Due to the various publicity bureaus, including our own, publications of all kinds from daily newspapers to monthly magazines, travel and trade organs, continually are carrying stories featuring the things that are of interest in this part of the world. This is in response to the demand of the readers to know more of the things that are happening on this side of the Pacific."

"All this promises to result in a tremendous tourist travel hereabouts as soon as conditions adjust themselves, as they will with the cessation of hostilities. Once the restrictions are relaxed there is no doubt that there will be a vast amount of travel across the Pacific which will tax the capacity of the tourist accommodations, including steam and rail lines. Although there is no tourist travel now, the Toyo Kisen Kaisha, in a forward-looking program, is doing a vast amount of publicity work in anticipation of this demand. In our own magazine alone during the past year we have devoted more than two million columns of space to articles featuring the tourist advantages of China, Japan and the Philippines. This matter did not contain any reference to our company particularly but was confined to arousing an interest and a desire to travel to these lands. There is a wonderful advertising opportunity before the whole of the Far East. The tourist trade has been proved to be one of the most profitable trades in the world. It brings vast wealth into any community and does not take any material



Mr. James K. Steele

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After a stay in Shanghai, Mr. Steele will go on to Peking and the interior, returning to Japan by the overland route through Manchuria and Chosen.

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## FRENCH POLICE ARREST SUSPECT IN BOMB PLOT

Believe Gang Attempting Destruction Of Steamship Office Placed Bomb On Kiangteen

Detectives in the French Police department yesterday arrested a suspect in connection with the finding of the bomb on the China Merchant's

Company steamer Kiangteen Tuesday afternoon.

Police officials in the International Settlement and the French Concession believe that the bomb was placed on the Kiangteen by men implicated in the attempt to blow up the China Merchant's Navigation Company office January 27.

French police are still working on the case as it is believed that the man arrested, if evidence can be found to hold him, is a member of a gang intent on the destruction of the steamer.

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Arrest No Longer A Question Of Food, But An Active Political Discontent With Militaristic Aims, Says Cyril Brown

### WILSON'S MESSAGES USED AS RADICAL AMMUNITION

Delays In Promised Electoral Reforms Deepen Suspicion—Bolsheviki Find Field For Propaganda In Workers

By Cyril Brown

Stockholm, March 25.—Germany in 1918 is not yet ripe for revolution, although at the bottom the empire is already in a state of unstable equilibrium, with dark forces driving toward revolution, prevented only by more powerful restraining factors. It is significant that riots, demonstration, strikes and threatened strikes have heretofore been non-political, almost all precipitated by food shortage, while in 1918 mass restlessness has for the first time taken on a decidedly political character.

The first Socialist demonstration on Unter den Linden which I witnessed in 1916 was intended as a non-political protest against the food hardships generally. Most of the other strike movements and food demonstrations heretofore have never assumed the proportions of an empire-wide epidemic. The significant change is that mass restlessness has taken on a sudden political turn and is no longer in first line for food alone, but openly for peace and against militarism.

#### Awake to Militarism

The spreading realization that militarism is no mere figment of the foreign imagination, but a very real and vital issue for the masses of Germany. The months of the masses can no longer be stopped with minor food concessions, for improved food conditions as compared with the previous winter have turned mass restlessness into political channels. Nor can the normal peace-hunger of the masses be any longer satisfied by the equivocal peace policy of the Imperial Government.

For the first time, the peace question which heretofore has been merely a fight for and against annexation, has been linked up in many German minds with the issue of militarism, and wider circles of the people have awakened more clearly to the true inwardness of the peace controversy as a struggle between democracy and the reactionary spirit of militarism—between the hard-dying old order and the nascent new.

The radicalised masses have begun to lose faith in the honesty of their Government. This is the real root of the new restlessness expressing itself in attempted political thinking and acting, even in open defiance of authority, and this is what thoughtful German commentators mean by the "increasing radicalisation of the masses." The very lowest layer of the masses, composed of the worst elements of the German people, have paradoxically been the first to scent the joker of militarism in Germany's pack of peace cards and in Germany to lose whatever faith its unpatriotic members may have had in the honesty of the imperial peace policy.

But what is of very much greater importance in Germany today—this new political atheism and openly expressed disbelief in the unrighteousness of a supreme imperial authority—is not confined to the rank, although limited hotbed of revolutionary sentiment at the very bottom. It has permeated the loyal masses, infected the still sound working classes with varying degrees of suspicion of the Government's good faith in its professions of a no-annexation peace policy and turned even majority Socialists of unimpeachable patriotism into doubting Thomases. And this process is continuing epidemically, with no cure in sight and apparently none possible except an unequivocal peace policy.

#### Wilson an Influence

This sudden crystallisation of mass public opinion into clear doubt of the word of its rulers has not been precipitated by the war messages of President Wilson nor the numerous discourses of English and French statesmen on Militarism, which have rather served to play into the hands of the Reactionaries, since most Germans still resent what they consider outside interference in their private household affairs, though President

## Porto Rican Troops Training To Help Uncle Sam



Porto Rican student officers in training on the parade ground of the famous old Spanish fortress El Morro, at San Juan. These officers all speak English as well as Spanish, and will command the island's quota of 12,000 men, the majority of whom speak nothing but Spanish.

Wilson's messages in particular have furnished useful agitatory ammunition to Germany's Bolsheviki, while indirectly serving as confirmatory circumstantial evidence to the minds of the sounder citizenry who have themselves discovered the drawbacks of militarism.

The revelation of Militarism has come to the doubting masses through two purely internal processes of enlightenment. The dark rumors, even hinted at in the German press, of a sharp clash between the highest military leadership and the political leadership in the first stadium of the Brest-Litovsk negotiations with the Bolsheviki, necessitating the Kaiser's personal intervention, gained the widest circulation and credence among the German masses, and must be regarded as the first eye-opening proof to the German mind that the military were playing politics.

"The strike atmosphere," writes a democratic German professor, "was generated firstly by the demagogic manner in which Germany's foreign policy was handled, and, secondly, by the way in which an unscrupulous reactionary party agitation made capital out of the popular confidence enjoyed in first line by the highest leadership. The strike was a matter of course, in view of what one lived through in Berlin in the middle of January—the wildest demagoguery, calculated to inflame to the pitch of madness all those who demanded a straightforward matter-of-fact peace policy."

The apparent peace truce between the military leadership and the political leadership and the official announcement that no material differences of opinion existed between them have rather served to increase the suspicions of the doubting masses. It was understood by the German people that the Reichstag no-annexation peace resolution had been approved in advance by the highest leadership. Settlement of the sharp Brest-Litovsk controversy in wide circles of the public has been interpreted as proof that the no-annexation resolution does not mean literally what it says, and that the no-annexation peace formula not only does not preclude annexations but is sufficiently elastic to meet the views of the highest leadership.

#### Pan-Germans Pleased

The Pan-Germans and other annexationists have hailed this exposure with open satisfaction, while for the radicalised and socialistic masses and working classes, eager for an early peace which they believe obtainable through an open, honest peace policy, this new doubt is a dangerously inflammatory factor.

Continued procrastination about the promised Prussian electoral reform is another purely international factor that has served to vitalise the issue of militarism and discredit the Government. Failure of the Government to make good the imperial word given nearly a year before in the famous Easter message to the people has aroused the suspicion that reactionary influences are more powerful than the good intentions of the Government and the expressed will of the Kaiser, or else that the Government is not endeavoring to put through democratisation in Prussia in good faith.

These doubting masses have been quick to jump to the conclusion that if militarism and reaction are stronger than the Government on the Prussian electoral reform proposition, these influences must also be more powerful than the Government in the peace controversy.

The procrastination of electoral re-

form is thus undermining confidence in the Government on all other vital issues, besides agitating the temper of the masses. Socialist leaders have persistently warned the Government that "the continued delay is creating bad blood among the working classes" and that "the people are waiting for a decision in the matter of its electoral rights and feel the procrastination like a blow in the face, which it will not accept quietly."

The radicalisation of the working classes and the broad masses has been helped along by the continued drastic enforcement of martial law in Germany, but a more serious factor, which has prepared the ground for the spread of near-revolutionary sentiment, is the ruthless inflammatory political propaganda at the very top and the very bottom.

#### Germany's Bolsheviki

Germany's Bolsheviki, the small and otherwise negligible Spartacus group of ultra-radical Socialists, have been preaching the firebrand doctrine of "internationalism above patriotism" and "world peace by world revolution." The shrewd minority radical Socialists have long been making propaganda among the German masses for the principles of internationalism in their fight on the "patriotic" majority Socialists. The radicals discreetly manage not to fall foul of martial law by not preaching violent revolution openly, but attaining the same end of raising the specter of political demonstration strikes.

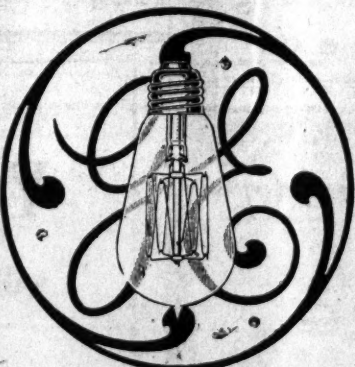
Both Bolshevistic extremists and

radicals find a fruitful missionary field for making converts among the workers today, particularly among the undisciplined youth and the host of emotional women workers whom food pressure has made ripe for near-revolutionary agitation.

A serious factor in the radicalisation of the masses has been the ruthless propaganda and political agitation of the pan-Germans and Junkers for their own selfish class ends. And this menace to Germany continues. The agitation of the firebrand Fatherland party in its fight for annexations and against democratisation is ruthlessly continued directly against the Socialist masses. The German term for this political agitation signifies "hounding," and how high political feeling already ran at the commencement of 1918 under the baneful star of the Fatherland party may be gathered from the statement of a dispassionate German professor:

"The Peace within the Burg (party truce), which the Fatherland party was intended to promote, has become War within the Burg: the flames of party passion have swirled up still more madly, and demands such as that of the Kreuzzeitung for the immediate court-martialing and shooting of Eberts and Scheidemann (the majority Socialist leaders) bring the danger near that we will lose the war if we don't at last heed the warning cry of Hindenburg."

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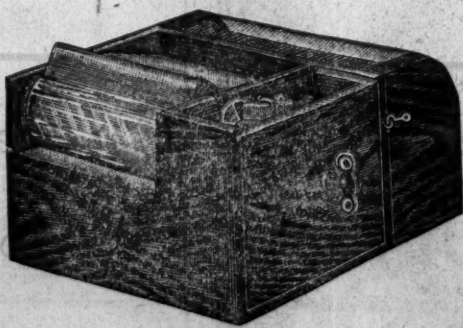
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Washington, May 4.—Gen. Pershing's plea for men who are trained riflemen and who do not have to be taught to shoot after they reach France, where there are no facilities, is to be answered. Under thoroughly trained instructors every man of the National Army is to become a rifeman, that the the service arm of the United States may not only inflict damage upon the ranks of the enemy, but may be a protection to the American soldier who carries it.

This is to be brought about at the newly established "small arms firing school for the instruction of officers and enlisted men in rifle and pistol shooting," to open at Camp Perry, O., May 15. The object is to fit the men forming the classes at this training school to become efficient instructors, who can return to their respective divisions and there organize competent corps of riflemen to teach every man in every company to intelligently handle and shoot the rifle which forms so important a part of his equipment. In addition to this, the school will turn out a large number of snipers during the course of operation—those men so highly proficient in the use of a service rifle that they are detailed for lone service to "pick off" the enemy in the opposing trenches. The order establishing the school was signed April 15 by the Acting Chief of Staff of the United States Army, Gen. Peyton C. March, and within thirty days the first class of field and company officers, 534, will go into training. The second increment, 535, will report May 25. The course will cover a month's instruction in all phases of rifle and pistol shooting.

### Expert Appointed Commander

Lieut. Col. Morton C. Mumma of the General Staff has been named commandant and will have charge of the establishment of the school. Major Smith W. Brookhart, United States National Guard, will be chief instructor.

Lieut. Col. Mumma has been closely identified with military rifle and pistol shooting in the army for many years. He is a native of Ohio and began shooting when but nine years old. He has won many rifle matches, and in 1913 captained the Palma team. Major Brookhart of Iowa is among the foremost exponents of rifle practice methods.

Camp Perry, the site chosen for the new school, is the largest rifle range in this country and one of the largest in the world. On the shore of Lake Erie, within sight of Put-in-Bay, where Commodore Perry fought his famous battle, the range comprises a tract of approximately 1,000 acres. Steps have already been taken to enlarge this reservation. In past years Camp Perry has been closely associated with many of the great events in the history of rifle shooting, having been the scene of six consecutive national matches, beginning in 1907 and ending with the big international shoot in 1912. Each man who reports at the School for Small Arms Firing will be given a month for training. The first week will be devoted to necessary preliminaries and gallery practice, calculated to fit the student for work on the indoor range. The second and third week will be devoted to short and mid range practice with the service rifle, as issued. The last week will go toward putting the finishing touches on the education of the student as a rifeman, and will take him into long-range practice and through the "School of the Sniper." An accurate record of the work of every student will be kept by the statistical office of the school and at the completion of his course will be sent to the commander of the division from which the student came.

Important as is the work of teaching every man of the National Army to be a rifeman, of great importance also is the task of turning out proficient snipers.

### Great Part Of Soldier's Business

Lord Roberts, at the close of the Boer War, prophesied: "The battles of the future will be won by sharp shooting at close distance," and added that marksmanship was

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By Tad



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"seven-tenths of a soldier's business," Lord Kitchener, while organizing the first levy which England sent to the battle shambles of France, issued his now famous order: "Never mind how they drill or whether they know the right foot from the left. Teach them to shoot and do it quickly."

It has been said that the sniper is the gadfly of the great war. He must harass the foe, taking an officer here, a man there. His is the task of hammering relentlessly upon the nerves of the rank and file of the opposing forces until his rifle crack becomes a menace more to be feared than shrieking shells from a .75, or the explosive hail from a Stokes trench mortar. A bullet must come from "nowhere." It must find a billet sometimes as small as a two-inch loophole at 300 yards, or a man standing against a hazy background half a mile away.

In the British and Canadian forces the sniper represents the highest specialized rifeman in the world. To the French, to whom the rifle is a less important implement of war, he is becoming an important factor. And now the United States sniper is destined to play an important part in the future of the world conflict.

A sniper is sent into the field to protect his own fire, support and communication trenches and all approaches thereto. But the must also shake the enemy's morale and discourage all his operations, both offensive and defensive, but instilling into him the knowledge that somewhere out on the disputed terrain which divides the trenches, or hidden in some post of vantage behind or to one side of the opposing line, lies a man patiently waiting for an opportunity to send swift, unerring death to whoever shows himself a brief few minutes.

### Must Have Infinite Patience

To the necessary qualities as an expert rifeman, the sniper must have infinite patience. The most successful sniping of the present war has been done by men who spent entire days under cover awaiting the opportunity for just one shot. Also he must be possessed of ability in camouflage and other arts, for there are as many tricks in the trade of the

sniper as in other professions. For example, when shooting through a small aperture in brickwork, the sniper always waters the opening, that the gas from the explosion of his rifle will not blow out any dust and thus betray him. In shooting through a window, the sniper always stands at the back of the room. When a new sniper's post is established, it is left unused for a day or two, but kept under observation, to see whether the enemy snipers have spotted it and are firing into it. Once a sniping post has been discovered by the enemy it is left as soon as

possible, but not before a "dangerous" sign has been left as a warning to those who might follow.

In speaking of the need of trained riflemen in this country nothing has been said which emphasizes that need more than what Gen. George W. Wingate, who has for many years been connected with the New York Public Schools Athletic League, said:

"One of the greatest illusions that exists in this country is that we are a nation of marksmen. Today, the ordinary young American, unless he has served in the National Guard or the army, as is a rifle club member,

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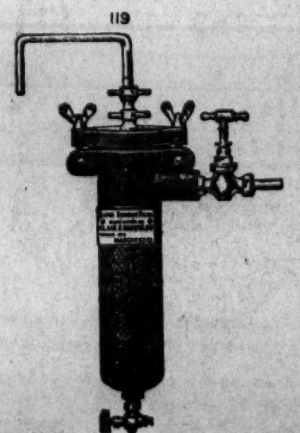
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TWO YACHT RACES  
SET FOR WEEK-ENDFirst Ordinary Race Of Season  
This Afternoon, With Challenge  
Cup Race Tomorrow

The Shanghai Yacht club will start the season this afternoon with the first ordinary race of the year and tomorrow morning the first challenge cup race will be held. This afternoon's race will start at 2.45 o'clock and the course will be from Peking Road Jetty Line down river to Woosung Customs Hulk Line via the ship channel.

Tomorrow's race will start at 9.10 o'clock in the morning. The yachts will race from the Woosung Customs Hulk Line, out over the bar via ship channel round Lower Quarantine Buoy to starboard then in over the bar up river via the ship channel to finish at the Police Hulk Line.

## Lawn Bowls Today

Lawn Bowls teams representing the Junior Golf Club and the Lancastrians will meet this afternoon at Hongkew Park. The match will start at 5.15 o'clock. The lineups:

**Junior Golf Club**  
R. Aitkenhead (skip)  
P. Ephgrave  
J. Anding  
M. B. Anderson  
D. McAlister (skip)  
F. B. Walker  
G. Coll  
F. George  
Reserve: G. Randall and J. Birnie.

**Lancastrians**  
J. Burnside (skip)  
P. Robinson  
E. Lever  
J. Brewer  
F. Jones (skip)  
B. Anderson  
P. Critchley  
W. N. Allen

## Week-End Sports Calendar

**Today**  
BASEBALL  
Blue Sox vs. U. S. S. Monocacy 2.30  
Red Sox vs. U. S. S. Palos 3.45  
CRICKET  
Shanghai Cricket Club vs. Shanghai Recreation Club at Cricket Club 2.15  
Police Recreation Club vs. Shanghai Cricket Club Second at Recreation Grounds 2.15  
Picked teams at Parsee Club Ground 2.30  
YACHTING  
Class A race 2.30  
LAWN BOWLS  
Junior Golf Club vs. Lancastrians at Hongkew 5.15  
Tomorrow  
BASEBALL  
Shanghai vs. U. S. Navy 3.30  
YACHTING  
Challenge Cup Race 9.15  
LAWN BOWLS  
Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club vs. Shanghai Recreation Club 3.30  
War Fund Competition at Lawn Bowls Club 3.45  
Junior Golf Club vs. Yangtzepoo at Yangtzepoo 3.30  
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## Engineers, S. V. C., Shoot

Following are the results of the drawing for the Ladies' Competition in the Engineers, S.V.C., annual rifle meeting, to be held today and tomorrow at the Range:

Competitors.	1st Lady drawn.	2nd Lady drawn.
Spr. K. V. Aagesen	Miss B. Harris	Mrs. Abbott
F. S. Baker	Mrs. H. J. S. Jones	Mrs. W. H. Leslie
N. G. Beale	Mrs. Snape	Miss E. Jones
J. J. Brooks	Mrs. V. Miller	Mrs. W. Stuart
Lieut. J. T. H. Brook	Mrs. Evans	Miss Stevens
Mr. K. Campbell	Miss E. Campbell	Mrs. R. Jacobs
Spr. H. Challey	Miss P. Brooke	Miss B. Pearson
		Mrs. R. G. Cole (3)
B. Dawson	Miss Radomski	Mrs. Thurnher
E. C. Fetherstonhaugh	Mrs. R. T. Rytton	Mrs. H. C. Duncan
H. FitzGeorge	Mrs. F. Young	Mrs. L. K. Little (3)
		Mrs. Broadrick
G. Frankland	Mrs. J. Dearn	Mrs. S. J. March
O. D. Gander	Mrs. G. Frankland	Mrs. T. W. Shearstone
S. R. Harris	Mrs. J. T. W. Brooke	Miss E. M. Main
Spr. W. Harvey	Mrs. G. B. Stormes	Miss E. Grant
2-Cpl. G. Henderson	Miss D. Campbell	Miss P. Duncan
Spr. A. J. Hodges	Mrs. A. Jones	Miss H. George
B. Hunting	Miss R. Shilbith	Miss R. Cole
P. Isherwood	Mrs. W. A. L. Pardoe	Miss B. Pearson
N. S. Jacobs	Mrs. W. F. Dearn	Miss B. Pearson
H. J. S. Jones	Mrs. Rogers	Mrs. C. D. Pearson
H. P. B. Jones	Mrs. N. G. Beale	Miss N. Brooke
Sgt. A. Jones	Mrs. J. Brooks	Mrs. J. J. Marshgreen
A-C. S. M. Mackenzie	Mrs. E. Hendriksen	Miss W. Prest
		Mrs. H. C. Duncan (3)
Spr. T. P. Main	Miss D. Godfrey	Mrs. E. E. Lever
Cpl. A. Malcolm	Miss E. Ackerman	Mrs. P. Duncan
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Spr. H. F. Merrill	Mrs. B. H. Gowing	Miss N. Brooke
2-Cpl. Nicholson	Miss E. Rice	Mrs. C. Campbell
Sgt. W. A. L. Pardoe	Mrs. T. W. Shearstone	Mrs. P. Isherwood
Capt. C. D. Pearson	Miss R. Rytton	Miss M. Dearn
Spr. R. T. Rytton	Mrs. R. Harris	Mrs. W. J. Bidgood
2-Cpl. T. W. Shearstone	Mrs. S. Webb	Miss H. Marshgreen
Sgt. S. Webb	Miss P. Duncan	Miss N. Brooke
2-Cpl. C. C. Whitehead	Mrs. W. H. Griffiths	Miss B. Spottiswoode
Lieut. R. C. Young	Miss M. Shilbith	Miss A. Campbell

This afternoon's shooting will be entirely devoted to the Annual Musketry Course. Tomorrow the shooting will be for the Officers' Cup, Challenge Cup, the Ladies' Prize and the Inter-sectional "Knock-out" competition, in the order named. The Ladies' Competition comes directly after tiffin.

MONACACY AND PALOS  
BATTLE BLUES AND REDSDoubleheader This Afternoon  
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A baseball doubleheader with two sailor nines opposing two Shanghai clubs will draw the fans to the Race Course this afternoon. The double bill starts at 2.30 o'clock with the Blue Sox and U. S. S. Monocacy aggregations clashing. The second melee will be between the Red Sox and the U. S. S. Palos, which held the Shanghai team to an "even stephen" set-to last Sunday.

The sailors will be out in force and local routees will gather to see the several sailor stars who have appeared here in previous seasons as members of other clubs. The Monocacy numbers several of the Brooklyn team of last year and 1916 in the lineup.

Tomorrow the Reds and Blues will combine to form a Shanghai team against the combined Monocacy and Palos crews. The game is carded as Shanghai vs. Navy and the bell rings at 3.30 o'clock.

## Today's Cricket

Cricket matches scheduled for this afternoon include set-tos between the Shanghai Recreation Club and the Shanghai Cricket Club, the Cricket Club Second Team and the Police eleven and a game at the Parsee Ground between teams captained by Mr. B. P. Lalaca and Mr. P. J. Pedigra. The first two matches will start at 2.15 o'clock and the Parsee game is carded for 2.30 o'clock.

The lineups:  
Shanghai Cricket Club—W. C. Foster, W. C. G. Clifford, S. J. Deeks, C. G. Humphrys, E. G. B. Lever, Dr. H. H. Morris, W. H. Moule, E. W. Stagg, E. G. Tait, G. M. Billings and W. C. D. Turner (Captain). Reserve: C. E. M. Thomson.

Shanghai Cricket Club second: C. L. W. Bailey, E. G. Barnes, R. Bauld, R. S. Campbell, J. Cookin, A. S. Hocking, Churchill Knight, W. J. Monk (Captain), F. H. Penrycross, H. S. Wavell and J. R. Wilson. Reserve, G. H. G. Caulton.  
The following members of the Parsee Cricket Club will be chosen by the respective captains of the teams: Messrs. M. C. Charna, E. J. Commissariat, M. D. Dahl, E. D. Damm, H. Edulji, F. R. France, K. D. Karanjia, P. N. Karanjia, B. S. Khambatta, H. S. Ma'an, N. H. Moos, R. H. Raji, K. C. Sarkari, C. B. Sethna, H. L. Soparivala, J. H. Shroff, B. D. Tata, H. C. Umrigar, F. Vicajee, R. Vicajee and V. Vicajee. Captains: B. P. Lalaca and P. J. Pedigra.

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## World Notes And Comments

(Christian Science Monitor) of the features of Ryde, Isle of Buenos Aires is surprised that Berlin should think that Argentina intends to declare war on Germany. Most of the other nations in South America, including Guatemala, which has taken that course herself, are surprised that Argentina has not declared war on Germany long before now. Buenos Aires, evidently, falls to see how the disappointed expectation of Berlin reflects upon Argentina's honor. Even Berlin does not hope to hold indefinitely the neutrality of a nation it has persistently insulted and outraged.

In the days before the war, one

Zebrugge the other night? Perhaps they are Ryde boats which now lie gloriously at the bottom of the sea, blocking the way to the "nests of Bruges."

The relations between the Secretary of the Treasury and the President of the United States are close enough to justify the presumption that when the former says there will soon be 1,800,000 American soldiers in France he does so with assurance that the latter will not contradict him. In this connection there are two points worth thinking about, and both are encouraging: first, that the landing of 1,800,000 American soldiers in France is entirely a matter of ships, and, second, that the transports have never been busier than they are now.

There is a quaint old legend of Alsace concerning a family of giants who, once upon a time, lived in a certain castle in a certain valley of the old country. The moral of the story seems appropriate at a time when the French Minister of Agriculture, to mention but one of the Allies, is making special effort to encourage the cultivation of land. The giants lived, says the legend, far from the peasants of the plain, and one day the daughter of the house who, though quite a child, was already thirty feet high, strolled toward the plain and saw a laborer peacefully plowing his field. She picked up the peasant, the horse and the plow and put them in her pinafore and returned to the castle to show what she had found to her father. "What you think is but a toy," said the giant, "is what produces the food which enables us to live. Put back the laborer and his horse where you found them." From that time onward, adds the tale, the peasants were never more molested by the giants.

The Secretary of the Navy of the United States, when speaking in Symphony Hall, Boston, the other evening, may not have been thinking of Dr. Karl Muck, once a regular occupant of that stage as conductor of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, but now in an internment camp. One might, however, easily have imagined Mr. Daniels mindful of his surroundings at the point where he sternly declared: "The man who raises his hand or voice against the determined purpose of America to win this war must realize that if we haven't enough jails for such people we will build more." Prohibitionists have been accused, among many things, of being impractical, but one ardent advocate of a national law makes this disconcertingly practical comment: "Pass prohibition and there will be no need of building more jails."

It is worthy of note that no man of the penetration, honesty, and force of character of Prince Lichnowsky, German Ambassador in London for the two years preceding the precipitation of the great war by his nation has been found, in recent years, in the editorship of a German-language newspaper, at home or abroad.

The Chicago Tribune is represented in the United States Army and Navy by a large force from its staff.

The list is a long one, and is headed by Robert R. McCormick, president and treasurer of The Tribune Company; and Joseph Medill Patterson, chairman of the board of directors and first vice-president. The former is a major of the fifth field artillery, actively engaged on a sector that has for weeks been in touch with the enemy, while the latter is in command of B battery of the one hundred and forty-ninth field artillery, now fighting on another sector. Speaking of the roster, which it has published within the last few days, the Tribune says: "We do not think there is its equal among all the newspapers of the United States." The effect of this statement will, no doubt, be to draw out The Tribune's contemporaries, and the result is likely to be quite surprising to newspaper readers everywhere. The ranks of journalism in the United States have responded to the call to service quite as fully as those of any other trade or profession.

## An Indian Pleader

Sir Frank Swettenham has made an appreciable addition to the world's fund of humor by reproducing the following forensic gem in his "The Real Malay." Sir Frank is himself doubtful of its authenticity and says only that it was stated in his time "to have been recently delivered by an Indian pleader at Barisal." But it is so rich a gem from Babudom that it would be a literary crime to keep it hidden under a bushel.

"My learned friend with mere wind from a teapot thinks to browbeat me from my legs. But this is mere gorilla warfare. I stand under the shoes of my client, and only seek to place my bone of contention clearly in your Honor's eye. My learned friend really runs amuck upon the sheet-anchors of my case. Your Honor will be pleased enough to observe that my client is a widow—a poor chap with one postmortem son. A widow of this country is not able to eat more than one meal a day, or to wear clean clothes, or to look after a man. So my poor client has not such physis or mind as to be able to assault the lusty complainant. Yet she has been deprived of some of her more valuable leather—the leather of her nose. My learned friend has thrown only an argument ad hominem upon my teeth that my client's witnesses are all her own relations. Their relationship is only homeopathic. So

the misty arguments of my learned friend will not hold water. At least they will not good water. Then my learned friend has said that there is on the side of his client a respectable witness, namely a pleader, and since this witness is independent, so he should be believed. But your Honor, with your Honor's vats experience, is pleased enough to observe that truthfulness is not so plentiful as blackberries in this country. And I am sorry to say, though this witness is a man of my own feathers, that there are in my profession black sheep of every complexion, and some of them do not always speak Gospel truth. Until the witness explains what have become of any client's nose-leather he cannot be believed. He cannot be allowed to raise a castle in the air by beating upon a bush. So, trusting in that administration of British justice on which the sun never sets, I close my case."

## Questions Answered

**What Is A Trench Bag?**  
ANSWER.—A Trench Bag is one to be used for the wounded when it is impossible to get them out of the trenches, where they may have to remain for hours without medical attention. These bags contain such food as cocoa, coffee, condensed milk, and such articles as scissors, electric torches, candles, matches, insect powder, spoons and cookers. One bag is distributed for every twenty men.

**Is It True That Rocks Grow?**  
ANSWER.—Rock is constantly being formed by the deposition of matter held in water and by volcanoes. Rocks found on the surface of the earth are constantly diminishing in size, due to action of wind, rain and snow.

## Launch Services

Tuesday, June 11, 1918.  
The tender conveying passengers on board the S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru will leave the Custom's Jetty at 11 a.m.

Thursday, June 13, 1918.  
The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the T.K.K. s.s. Siberia Maru will leave the Custom's Jetty at 5 p.m.

## Sailed from Shanghai

For London, etc.  
Kitano Maru ..... Apr. 17  
Kaga Maru ..... May 31  
For Liverpool  
Iyo Maru ..... Apr. 6  
Shidzuoka Maru ..... May 10  
For San Francisco  
Shinyo Maru ..... Apr. 30  
Ecuador ..... May 25

Korea Maru ..... June 6  
For Seattle  
Katori Maru ..... Apr. 28  
Manila Maru ..... May 4  
Suwa Maru ..... May 19  
For Vancouver  
Monteagle ..... May 21  
Empress of Japan ..... May 27  
Key West ..... May 27  
For Marseilles, etc.  
Kirishimayama Maru ..... May 13  
For Port Said  
Paul Lecat ..... June 7

## Vessels In Harbor And At Woosung

Date	From	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
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June 6		Difukusan Maru	Jap.	
June 6	Wenchow	Orayuan	Jap.	
June 6		Kwangchi	Chl. C.M.S.N. Co.	
June 3	Japan	Nishio Maru	Jap.	
June 1	Japan	Misaki Maru	Jap.	
June 1	Japan	Omuro Maru	Jap.	
June 3	Dalny	Sakaki Maru	Jap. S.M.R.	
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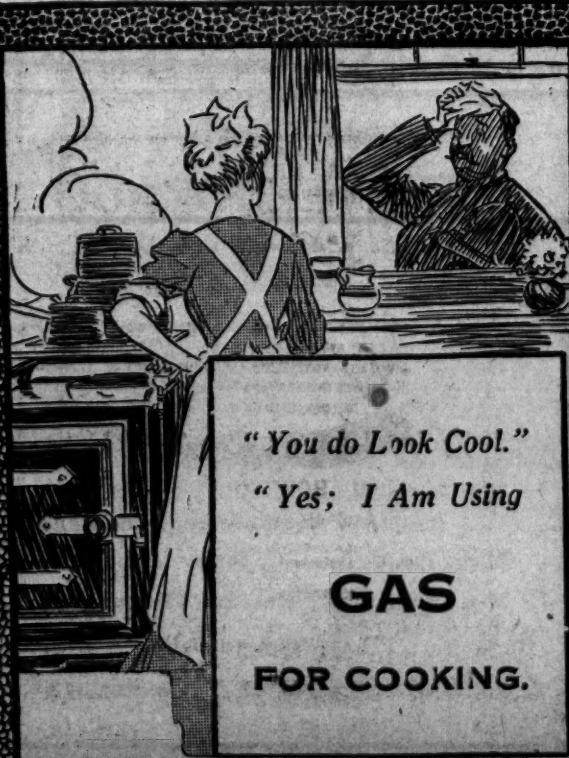
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**Money and Bullion**  
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 @ 108 1/2 = Tls. 91.95  
 @ 7.31 = Mex. \$125.79  
 Mex. Dollars Market rate: 72.85  
 Shanghai Gold Bars: 978 touch Tls. 297.  
 Bar Silver ..... Tls.  
 Copper Cash ..... per tael 1792  
 Sovereigns: Bank's buying rate:  
 @ 4/6 1/2 = Tls. 4.38  
 @ exch. 7.31 = Mex. \$6.00  
 Peking Bar .....  
 Native Interest ..... .07

**Latest London Quotations**  
 Bar Silver ..... 48 1/2  
 Bank Rate of Discount ..... 5%  
 Market rate of discount:—  
 3 m-s ..... %  
 4 m-s ..... %  
 6 m-s ..... %  
 Exchange on Shanghai, 60 d-s.  
 Ex. Paris on London ..... Fr. 37.25  
 Ex. N. Y. on London ..... T.T. \$47.61  
 Consols ..... \$

**Exchange Opening Quotations**  
 London ..... T.T. 4/6 1/2  
 London ..... Demand 4/7  
 India ..... T.T. 30 1/2  
 Paris ..... T.T. 62 1/2  
 Paris ..... Demand 62 1/2  
 New York ..... T.T. 108 1/2  
 New York ..... Demand 108 1/2  
 Hongkong ..... T.T. 70  
 Japan ..... T.T. 48 1/2  
 Batavia ..... T.T. 21 1/2

**Banks Buying Rates**  
 London ..... 4 m/s. Ctd. 4/8 1/2  
 London ..... 4 m/s. Docy. 4/8 1/2  
 London ..... 6 m/s. Ctd. 4/9 1/2  
 London ..... 6 m/s. Docy. 4/9 1/2  
 Paris ..... 4 m/s. 64 1/2  
 New York ..... 4 m/s. Docy. 112 1/2

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 " 1 @ — Roubles —  
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## Stock Exchange

Transactions

Shanghai, June 7, 1918.

## TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

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Russo-Asiatic ..... R. 258

Marine Insurance

Canton ..... \$330 B.

North China ..... Tls. 125 B.

Union of Canton ..... \$300

Yangtze ..... Tls. 21

Far Eastern Ins. Co. Ltd.

Fire Insurance

China Fire ..... \$124 B.

Hongkong Fire ..... \$310 B.

Shipping

Indo-China Pref. .... Tls. 100

Indo-China Def. .... Tls. 100

"Shell" ..... Tls. 25

Shanghai Tug (co) ..... Tls. 40

Shanghai Tug (f) .... Tls. 40

Mining

Kaiiping ..... Tls. 10 1/2 B.

Oriental Cons ..... Tls. 90

Philippine ..... Tls. 90

Raub ..... Tls. 90

Docks

Hongkong Dock ..... \$122 B.

Shanghai Dock ..... Tls. 110 B.

New Eng. Works ..... Tls. 17 1/2 B.

Wharves

Shanghai Wharf ..... Tls. 75 B.

Hongkong Wharf ..... \$80 S.

Lands and Hotels

Anglo French Land ..... Tls. 70 B.

China Land ..... Tls. 60 B.

Shanghai Land ..... Tls. 60 B.

Wellington Hotel ..... \$12 B.

Shanghai Hotels (ord) ..... Tls. 90

China Realty (pref.) ..... Tls. 90

Cotton Mills

E-wo ..... Tls. 170 B.

E-wo Pref. .... Tls. 170 B.

International ..... Tls. 235

International (pref) ..... Tls. 235

Laou-kung-mow ..... Tls. 110

Oriental ..... Tls. 52 1/2 B.

Shanghai Cotton ..... Tls. 139

Kung Yik ..... Tls. 15 1/2

Yangtzepoo ..... Tls. 8 B.

Yangtzepoo Pref. .... Tls. 90

Industrials

Butler Tile ..... Tls. 23

China Sugar ..... \$83 B.

Green Island ..... \$470 B.

Langkats ..... Tls. 15 1/2 B.

Major Bros ..... Tls. 70 B.

Shanghai Sumatra

Stores

Hall and Holtz ..... \$14 B.

Llewellyn ..... Tls. 74 B.

Lane, Crawford ..... \$5.10 B.

Moutrie ..... \$14 B.

Watson ..... \$14 B.

Weeks

Rubbers (Local)

Alma ..... Tls. 8 1/2

Ambers ..... Tls. 0.35 B.

Anglo-Dutch ..... Tls. 7 1/2

Ayer Tawah ..... Tls. 3.90

Batu Anam 1913 ..... Tls. 34

Bukit Toh Alang ..... Tls. 3.00 B.

Bute ..... Tls. 3

Chemor United ..... Tls. 1

Chempedak ..... Tls. 1.02 1/2

Cheng ..... Tls. 2.10

Consolidated ..... Tls. 2 1/2

Dominion ..... Tls. 8

Gula Kalumpung ..... Tls. 6.10

Java Consolidated ..... Tls. 10 1/2

Kamunting ..... Tls. 5 1/2

Kapala ..... Tls. 0.50

Karyang ..... Tls. 27

Kara ..... Tls. 11

Kota Bahru ..... Tls. 4 1/2 B.

Kroowok Java ..... Tls. 16

Padang ..... Tls. 12

Pengkalan Durian ..... Tls. 5 S.

Permatang ..... Tls. 2 1/2

Ropah ..... Tls. 92 1/2

Samagaga ..... Tls. 0.80

Seekee ..... Tls. 6

Semambu ..... Tls. 1.05

Senawang ..... Tls. 12

Shanghai Kiebang ..... Tls. 0.70

Shanghai Malay ..... Tls. 7

Shai Malay-pref ..... Tls. 10.70

Shanghai Pahang ..... Tls. 1 B.

Sungala ..... Tls. 1.65

Sungel Durian ..... Tls. 9

Sua Manggis ..... Tls. 3 1/2

Shai Kalantan ..... Tls. 0.75

Shanghai Seremban ..... Tls. 0.75

Taiping ..... Tls. 1.05

Tanah Merah ..... Tls. 0.90

Tebong ..... Tls. 16 1/2

Ulobri ..... Tls. 3 1/2

Ziangbe ..... Tls. 4 1/2

Miscellaneous

C. I. and E. Lumbei ..... Tls. 140 B.

Culty Dairy ..... Tls. 10 B.

Shai Elec. and Ash ..... \$2

Shanghai Trams ..... Tls. 67

Shanghai Gas ..... Tls. 21 1/2 B.

Horse Bazaar ..... Tls. 33

Shanghai Mercury ..... Tls. 30

Shai Telephone ..... Tls. 76 B.

Shai Waterworks ..... Tls. 165

S. Sellers. Sa. Sales. B. Buyers.

Telephone No. 398

Benjamin &amp; Potts, 8 Jinkee Road

## Rubber Outputs

April May

Alma ..... 29,500 32,000

Amherst ..... 3,984 3,411

Anglo-Dutch ..... 77,000 60,000

Anglo-Java ..... 162,000 143,000

Ayer Tawah ..... 20,759 24,827

Batu Anam ..... 17,723 21,199

Bukit Toh Alang ..... 10,500 10,232

Bute ..... 12,424 14,343

Chempedak ..... 9,090 10,000

Chemor	14,752	13,311
Cheng	15,076	14,622
Consolidated	45,022	51,292
Dominion	36,877	40,274
Gula Kalumpung	58,800	52,400
Shipped to London	54,481	149,995
Java Consolidated	59,000	63,000
Kamunting	19,845	18,418
Kapala	8,950	8,811
Karyang	7,687	8,920
Kara	34,586	37,454
Kota Bahru	—	44,000
Langkat	58,751	—
Padang	19,000	23,000
Permatang	9,924	12,261
Ropah	10,000	15,000
Samagaga	12,400	—
Semambu	10,967	12,411
See Kee	6,758	—
Senawang	30,553	30,942
Shanghai-Malay	10,040	13,299
Shanghai-Kiebang	14,786	15,759
Shanghai-Seremban	5,945	10,607
Shanghai-Pahang	16,481	14,394
Shanghai-Sumatra	50,220	57,620
Sua Manggis	—	—
Sungala	8,252	11,739
Sungel Duri	20,435	22,256
Taiping	26,200	31,500
Tanah Merah	58,000	75,000
Tebong	4,013	4,712
Ulobri	—	—
Ziangbe	—	69,000

## Singapore Rubber Auction

Singapore, May 23 and 24.—Following were the prices realised at the auction this week:

Sheet	Singapore
Smoked Fine Ribbed	@ 85/68
Smoked Good Ribbed	81/65
Smoked Fine Plain	81/65
Smoked Good Plain	81/65
Unsmoked Fine Ribbed	81/65
Unsmoked Good Ribbed	81/65
Unsmoked Fine Plain	81/65
Unsmoked Good Plain	81/65
Crepes	
Fine Pale Thin	95/93
Good Pale Thin	95/74
Good Pale Blanket	95/74
Good Brown Blanket	95/74
Fine Brown	74/64
Good Brown	66/50
Good Dark	51/38
Barky	40/27
Scrap	
Virgin and Pressed	36/35
Loose	28
Sheet: Cupwashing	56/40
Catalogued for	
Sale Pels. 15,815 (about 977 tons)	
Sold Pels. 7,912 (about 489 tons)	

Our auction started yesterday morning with a rather poor demand all round. Fine Ribbed Smoked Sheet sold between 88 and 92 and Fine Pale Creep at 93. Gradually, however, prices advanced and 95 was soon established as the market price for both grades. In the afternoon Fine Pale Creep dropped to 93, while Fine Ribbed Smoked Sheet was steady at 95 until the very last catalogue of the day, when 96 was paid for a number of lots of this grade, and 97 for two big, attractive parcels.

Good Ribbed Smoked Sheet followed the movements of Fine Ribbed Smoked Sheet, but less interest was shown in Good Pale Creep. Only a few lots of Plain Smoked and Plain Unsmoked Sheet changed hands, and as there was hardly any competition, buyers could fix their own prices, which in many cases were accepted. Fine Brown and clean Good Brown Creeps were well competed for and sold at an average advance of 4 on the week, whereas Dark and Barky Creeps met with a poor demand and remained at last week's level.

## Provision Prices in Local Market

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollars cents at Hongkong market as compiled on June 4, 1918.

## Butcher's Meat

Beef ..... per lb. 14-30  
 Mutton ..... " 14-30  
 Pork ..... " 14-30  
 Veal ..... " 14-30

## Fish

Bream ..... per lb. 12-14  
 Cod ..... " 14-16  
 Mandarin ..... " 14-16  
 Mackerel ..... " 14-16  
 Pomfret ..... " 14-16  
 Salmon ..... " 14-16  
 Smail ..... " 14-16  
 Soles ..... " 14-16  
 Whitebait ..... " none

## Game, Poultry and Eggs

Deer ..... each none  
 Duck ..... " 40-70  
 Eggs ..... per doz. 15-17  
 Fowl ..... per lb. 18-20  
 Geese ..... each 50-80  
 Hare ..... " none  
 Partridge ..... " none  
 Pheasant ..... " none  
 Pigeons ..... " 15-18  
 Plover ..... " none  
 Quail ..... each 18-20  
 Snipe ..... " 12-14  
 Turkey ..... per lb. 30-35  
 Teal ..... each none  
 Wild Duck ..... " none  
 Wild Pigeons ..... " none  
 Woodcock ..... " none  
 Wild Geese ..... " none

## Fruit

Appricots ..... per lb. none  
 Apples ..... " 20-25  
 Bananas ..... " 15-18  
 Cherries ..... " none  
 Cocoanuts ..... each 15-18  
 Chestnuts ..... per lb. none  
 Figs ..... per doz. none  
 Grapes ..... per lb. none  
 Lemons ..... each 7-8  
 Lichees ..... per lb. 15-20  
 Mangoes ..... " 12-16  
 Mangosteens ..... per doz. 80-70  
 Melons ..... each none  
 Oranges ..... per lb. 15-20  
 Peaches ..... " 8-10  
 Persimmons ..... per lb. 8-10  
 Plums ..... " 6-8  
 Pomegranates ..... each none  
 Pineapples ..... per lb. 8-10  
 Pears ..... " 10-15  
 Strawberries ..... " 12-14  
 Walnuts ..... " 12-14

## Vegetables

Artichokes ..... each 5-8  
 Asparagus ..... per doz. 20-30

French Beans	per lb.	15-18
Broad Beans	"	2-3
Bestroot	per bunch	2-3
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	5-10
Cabbage	each	3-4
Carrots	"	2-3
Cauliflower	each	10-15
Celery	per bunch	2-3
Egg Plant	per lb.	5-6
Green Corn	each	none
Leeks	per bunch	2-3
Mushrooms	per lb.	80-100
Onions	per lb.	2-3
Parasips	per bunch	4-5
Potatoes	per pic.	12.00-2.50
Pean	per lb.	3-4
Radishes	per bunch	1-3
Spinach	per lb.	3-3
Tomatoes	"	10-12
Turnips	per bunch	2-3

E. KILNER, Chief Inspector.

## Amusements

## SPECIAL ATTRACTION

AT THE

## Victoria Theatre

on June 8th, 9th and 10th

AND

## MATINEE on SUNDAY

A marvelous detective drama. A mystery that involves secret military plans and almost causes the death of an innocent man

## SHOWING

## The Five Part Film

## "THE CLUE"

with

## BLANCHE SWEET

## NEW GRAPHIC

## and

## NEW COMEDIES

## APOLLO THEATRE

TONIGHT — TONIGHT

## The Romantic Pathe Photo Play

## "WILL POWER"

## "WILL POWER"

Adapted from the novel by Georges Ohmet



## Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

## THE CHINA PRESS MAIL SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, JUNE 8, 1918

Date and Destination	Per	Chl.	Br.	USA	Rus.	Jap.	Res.
Today							
Waihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	Shenkin	9.00	9.00	..	..	..	5.50
River Ports..	Train & Str.	21.00	21.00	..	..	..	21.00
Foochow..	Hainchi	21.00	17.00	..	..	..	21.00
Ningpo and Wenzhou	Kwangchi	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
N'anki, Kobe, Yama, Canada	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
U. S. & Europe via Canada	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Peking and Tientsin (Every day)	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	17.00
Train (Daily except Sunday)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hankow..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ningpo..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tomorrow							
River Ports..	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Monday, June 10.							
Russia via Siberia (Express)	Via Pukow	21.00	17.00	..	..	..	20.50
River Ports..	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Tuesday, June 11.							
Waihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	Shuntien	14.00	13.00	..	..	..	13.00
Hongkong and Canton	Sinkiang	11.00	..	..	..	..	11.00
Tsingtao, Manchuria & Dalny	Sakaki maru	10.00	..	..	..	..	9.00
Hongkong	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	Koonshing	11.00	..	..	..	..	10.50
Japan, Canada, U. S. & Europe	Siberia maru	15.00	..	..	..	..	14.50
Swatow and Hongkong	Yingchow	11.00	..	..	..	..	10.50
Swatow, Hongkong & Canton	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wednesday, June 12.							
Russia via Siberia (P. Train)	Via Pukow	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Amoy and Hongkong	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Thursday, June 13.							
N'anki, Kobe, Yama, Canada	Siberia maru	..	..	..	..	..	10.00
Honolulu, U. S. & Europe	Yamashiro m.	..	..	..	..	..	20.00
Japan & America via Nagasaki	..	..	..	..	..	..	19.50
Friday, June 14.							
Japan & America via Moji	Omi maru	..	..	..	..	..	23.00
Japan & America via Nagasaki	..	..	..	..	..	..	19.50
Saturday, June 15.							
Russia via Siberia	Via Pukow	21.00	..	..	..	..	20.50
Japan & America via Nagasaki	Fushimi maru	..	..	..	..	..	17.00
Monday, June 17.							
Japan & America via Nagasaki	Chikugo maru	..	..	..	..	..	20.00
Tuesday, June 18.							
Japan & America via Moji	Chikuzen maru	..	..	..	..	..	20.00

A Money orders and parcel post 12 noon.  
 B Letters and boxes with declared value 7.30 p.m. Parcel post 4 p.m. and money orders 3 p.m.  
 C Letters and boxes with declared value 4.30 p.m. Parcel post 4 p.m. and money orders 3 p.m.  
 Mails for Hankow close every day at 11.30 a.m. and 9 p.m. Registration at 11.30 a.m. and 9 p.m. and for Peking and Tientsin every day at 9 p.m. Registration at 5 p.m. at the Russian Post Office.

行 銀 中  
CHUNG FOO UNION BANK

(Established in 1917)  
 Statutes approved by the Government in 1916  
 Head Office: Tientsin  
 Subscribed Capital .... \$2,000,000  
 Paid-up Capital .... \$1,020,000  
 Managing Director:  
 SUN TAO SAN.  
 Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities:  
 Tientsin Chinkiang  
 Shanghai Soochow  
 Peking Wushieh  
 Hankow Hangchow  
 Nanking Ningpo  
 Yangchow Shaoching  
 Haichow Canton  
 Pengpu Hongkong  
 Tingklansu  
 Agencies and Correspondents in foreign countries:  
 London, International Banking Corporation.  
 New York, International Banking Corporation.  
 San Francisco, International Banking Corporation.  
 Tokyo, Bank of Chosen.  
 Kobe, Bank of Chosen.  
 Osaka, Bank of Chosen.  
 Yokohama, Bank of Taiwan.  
 and also other principal cities in foreign countries.  
 SHANGHAI BRANCH,  
 8,441 Ningpo Road.  
 Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.  
 Credits granted on approved securities.  
 Y. R. Sun, Manager.  
 T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.  
 Telephone No. 2618 General Office.  
 Telephone No. 1929 Manager's Office.

## Shipping Items

The I.-C. s.s. Luengo left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.  
 The C.M. s.s. Kiangshin left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.  
 The N.K.K. s.s. Tachang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.  
 The I.-C. s.s. Koonshing left Tientsin for Chefoo, Waihaiwei and Shanghai on Wednesday.  
 The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang left Hongkong for Amoy and Shanghai on Thursday.  
 The C.N. s.s. Shuntien left Tientsin for Chefoo, Waihaiwei and Shanghai on Thursday.  
 The H.O. s.s. Tehching left Hankow for Shanghai on Thursday.  
 The I.-C. s.s. Suwo left Hankow for Shanghai on Thursday.  
 The C.N. s.s. Chungking left Hankow for Shanghai on Thursday.  
 The N.K.K. s.s. Tachang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Thursday.  
 The C.M. s.s. Hsinlung left Tientsin for Shanghai on Wednesday.  
 The Sra. Koun Maru and Yei Maru left Chinkiang for Shanghai on Wednesday.  
 The C.M. s.s. Kweloo left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.  
 The C.N. s.s. Ngankin left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.  
 The N.K.K. s.s. Nanyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.  
 The C.M. s.s. Kiangyung will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.  
 The I.-C. s.s. Kutwo will leave Hankow for Shanghai on June 9.  
 The T.K.K. s.s. Siberia Maru will leave Hongkong for Shanghai on June 10, may be expected to arrive at Wou-sung on June 13. She will be despatched for San Francisco, via Japan and Honolulu on the same day.

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Incorporated by Royal Charter 1853.

Capital ..... \$1,200,000  
 Reserve Fund ..... 2,000,000  
 Reserve Liability of Shareholders ..... 1,200,000

Head Office:  
 33 BISHOPSGATE, LONDON, E. C.

## Court of Directors:

Sir Montagu Cornish Turner, Chairman.  
 Sir Cuthbertson, Esq.  
 Sir Alfred Denk, K.C.M.G.  
 W. H. Neville Goshen, Esq.  
 The Rt. Hon. Lord George Hamilton, G.C.S.I.  
 W. Foot Mitchell, Esq.  
 Lewis Alexander Wallace, Esq.

Bankers:  
 The Bank of England.  
 The London City & Midland Bank Limited.  
 The London County and Westminster Bank, Limited.  
 The National Provincial Bank of England, Limited.  
 The National Bank of Scotland, Limited.

## Agencies and Branches:

Amritsar Illo Puket  
 Bangkok Ipoh Rangoon  
 Batavia Klang Saigon  
 Bombay Kiang Seremban  
 Calcutta Kiang Singapore  
 Canton Kiang-Lumpur Shanghai  
 Cebu Madras Sourabaya  
 Colombo Malacca Taiping  
 Delhi Manila (F. M. S.)  
 Foochow Medan Tavy (Lower Burma)  
 Haiphong New York Tientsin  
 Hankow Peking Yokohama  
 Hongkong Penang

## Shanghai Branch, 18 The Bund.

Drafts granted on the above Agencies and Branches and also on the principal Commercial Cities throughout the world. Bills of Exchange bought, Travelling Letters of Credit issued and every description of Banking and Exchange business undertaken.

Interest allowed on Current Deposit Accounts, according to arrangement.  
 Fixed Deposits are received for twelve months and shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.

A. I. D. STEWART, Manager.

## BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE

Capital ..... Frs. 40,000,000.00  
 Reserves ..... Frs. 40,000,000.00

## Succursales et Agences:

Bangkok Hanoi Saigon  
 Battambang Hongkong Shanghai  
 Canton Mongtse Singapore  
 Djibouti Noumea Tientsin  
 Dondichery Peking Tourane  
 Haiphong Papote  
 Hankou Phnom-Penh

Bankers:  
 In France: Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris; Credit Lyonnais; Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas; Credit Industriel et Commercial; Societe Generale.  
 In London: The Union of London and Smith's Bank, Ltd.; Comptoir National d'Escompte des Pays-Bas; Credit Lyonnais.

This Shanghai Agency undertakes all banking operations and exchange business, grants credits on goods and approved securities and receives deposits on current and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN, Manager.

## Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Capital ..... Frs. 30,000,000.00  
 Reserves ..... Frs. 30,000,000.00

## Head Office: BRUSSELS.

London office: 2 Bishopsgate.  
 Branches at Peking, Tientsin, Alexandria, Cairo (Egypt) and Rotterdam.

## President:

JEAN JADOT  
 Gouverneur Societe Generale de Belgique.

## Bankers:

London: Martin's Bank, Ltd.  
 Brussels: Societe Generale de Belgique.  
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 New York: National City Bank of New York.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts Taels and fixed deposits according to arrangement.  
 Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

M. DEMETS, Manager for China.

## Hongkong &amp; Shanghai Banking Corporation

Paid-up Capital ..... \$15,000,000

Reserve Funds:  
 Sterling £1,500,000 @ 2s. \$15,000,000  
 Silver ..... 19,500,000  
 \$34,500,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors ..... \$15,000,000

## Head Office: HONGKONG

Court of Directors:  
 Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak, Chairman  
 G. T. M. Edkins, Esq. Deputy Chairman.  
 F. C. Butcher, Esq.  
 A. H. Compton, Esq.  
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 C. S. Gubbay, Esq.  
 Hon. Mr. D. Landale.  
 E. V. D. Parr, Esq.  
 W. L. Pattenden, Esq.

## Chief Manager:

Hongkong-N. J. STARR.

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 Bangkok Johore Penang  
 Batavia Kobe Rangoon  
 Bombay Kuala Lumpur Saigon  
 Calcutta London S. Francisco  
 Canton Lyons Shanghai  
 Colombo Malacca Singapore  
 Foochow Manila Sourabaya  
 Hankow Nagasaki Tientsin  
 Harbin New York Tsingtao  
 Illoilo Yokohama

## London Bankers:

London County and Westminster Bank, Ltd.

## Shanghai Branch: 12, The Bund.

Sub-Age: 9 Broadway.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.  
 Local Bills Discounted  
 Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa, China, Japan and America.

A. G. STEPHEN, Manager.

## Russo-Asiatic Bank

Capital (fully-paid) .... 80,000,000

Reserve Fund ..... 26,940,000

Capital Contributed by the Chinese Government 3,500,000

Reserve Fund ..... 1,750,000

Head Office: PARMOUR.

Paris office: 9, Rue Boudreau.

London office: 64, Old Broad St., E.C.

## Bankers:

London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.  
 Paris: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Developpement de Commerce et de l'Industrie en France. Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.  
 Lyons: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Developpement de Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.

## Far Eastern Branches and Agencies

Bombay Harbin Peking  
 Chanchun Hongkong Shanghai  
 Chefoo Newchwang Tientsin  
 Dalren Nicolayowak Vladivostok  
 Hallan O/Amur Yokohama  
 Hankow

## Branches and Agencies in Russia, Siberia and Mongolia

SHANGHAI BRANCH

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars and Roubles. Terms on application.  
 Local Bills discounted. Special facilities for Russian Exchange.

Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.  
 Safe Deposit Boxes.

L. JEZERSKI,

G. CARRERE,

managers for China, Japan and India.

## The Bank of Canton, Limited.

Incorporated 1912.

Authorized Capital ..... \$12,000,000

Subscribed and paid up Capital ..... \$1,382,950.00

Reserve Fund ..... \$4,240,000.00

Investment reserve fund H.K. 40,000

## Head Office

No. 4 Des Voeux Road, Hongkong.

## Shanghai Office

No. 2 Ningpo Road.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

C. C. WONG,

Chief Manager.

## The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorized Capital .... \$60,000,000.00

Paid-Up Capital .... 12,379,900.00

Reserve Fund ..... \$1,298,553.60

Special Reserve Fund \$1,898,932.68

## HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.

Branches and Agencies:  
 Peking Talyuan Shanghai  
 Tientsin Kaifeng Hankow  
 Changchun Wuhu Ichang  
 Antung Anking Changsha  
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 Moukden Ningpo Kiukiang  
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## GENERAL SHIPPING NEWS

## Future Sailings

## FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
June 10	—	Tacoma & Seattle	Arabia Maru	Jap. O.S.K.	
June 13	—	San Francisco	Siberia Maru	Jap. O.S.K.	
June 14	—	Tacoma & Seattle	Fushimi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.	
June 16	—	Seattle, etc.	Colombia	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.	
June 24	—	San Francisco	China	Am. C.M.S.N. Co.	
June 25	—	San Francisco	Tenyo Maru	Jap. O.S.K.	
June 26	—	San Francisco	Kashima Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.	
June 30	—	Seattle, etc.	Shinyo Maru	Jap. O.S.K.	
July 19	—	San Francisco	Empress of Japan	Br. C.P.R.	
July 20	—	Vancouver	Venezuela	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.	
July 27	—	Tacoma & Seattle	Manila Maru	Jap. O.S.K.	
July 31	—	Vancouver	Monteagle	Br. O.F.S.	

## FOR JAPAN PORTS

June 8	—	Moji, Kobe & Osaka	Takeshima Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
June 14	—	N'aki, Kobe & Y'hama	Yamashiro Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
June 15	—	Moji, Kobe & Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
June 18	—	N'aki, Kobe & Y'hama	Chikugo Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
June 25	—	N'aki, Kobe, Y'hama	Tategami Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.

## FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

June	—	Marseilles	Salmon Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
—	—	London, etc.	Hirano Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
—	—	London, etc.	Yokohama Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.

## FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

June 8	4:00	Ningpo	Kiangtse	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 8	D.L.	Swatow	Taiwan	Br. J.M. & Co.
June 8	3:30	Wenchow	Kwangchi	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 9	—	Foochow	Hsinchi	Br. B. & S.
June 10	4:00	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi. N.S.N. Co.
June 11	noon	Swatow & Hongkong	China	Am. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 11	—	Hongkong	Sinkiang	Br. B. & S.
June 11	noon	Hongkong & Canton	Suiyang	Br. B. & S.
June 13	D.L.	Amoy, F'chow, C'lon	Kohoku Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
June 14	—	Takao, F'chow, K'lung	Canada Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
June 16	—	Hongkong	Kaifong	Br. B. & S.
June 16	D.L.	Swatow & Hongkong		

## FOR NORTHERN PORTS

June 10	10:00	W'wei, C'foo, T'sin	Shengking	Br. B. & S.
June 11	3:00	W'wei, C'foo, T'sin	Shuntien	Br. B. & S.
June 11	noon	Taijingao & Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap. S.M.R.
June 12	—	T'sin, Dairen, T'au	Keelung Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
June 13	D.L.	Newchwang	Wenchow	Br. B. & S.
June 14	2:30	Taijingao & Dairen	Kobe Maru	Jap. S.M.R.
June 15	10:00	W'wei, C'foo, T'sin	Fengtien	Br. B. & S.

## FOR RIVER PORTS

June 8	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br. B. & S.
June 8	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Siangyang Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
June 9	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangtse	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 10	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangshin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 11	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. J.M. & Co.
June 11	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br. B. & S.
June 12	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br. B. & S.
June 12	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br. B. & S.
June 14	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.
June 15	M.N.	Hankow, etc.		

\*A.M. M.N.—MIDNIGHT. D.L.—DAYLIGHT.

## Arrivals

Arrived	From	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
June 7	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S.	
June 7	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi. N.S.N. Co.	
June 7	Foochow	Hsinchi	Br. C.M.S.N. Co.	
June 7	Hankow	Siangyang Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.	
June 7	Chinwangtao	Luenyi	Br. B. & S.	
June 7	Chinwangtao	Kabuto Maru	Jap. K.M.A.	
June 7	Chinwangtao	Upolu	Jap. K.M.A.	

## Departures

Date	For	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
June 7	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Yohyang Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.	
June 7	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.	
June 7	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J.M. & Co.	
June 7	—	Chefoo and Tientsin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.	
June 7	10:00 Swatow	Holow	Br. B. & S.	
June 7	N'aki, Kobe & Y'hama	Wakamura Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.	
June 7	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S.	
June 7	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi. N.S.N. Co.	

## Vessels Loading

## For River Ports

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Luenyi, Captain Frazier, will leave from the French Bund on Saturday, June 8, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield & Swire, Agents, French Bund, Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The Co.'s Str. Siangyang Maru, Captain J. A. Scott, will be despatched from N.Y.K. Mail wharf on Saturday, June 8, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage apply to The Nishin Kisen Kaisha, No. 5 The Bund, Tel. No. 3255.

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The Str. Kiangtse, Captain J. M. Johnsen, will leave on Sunday night. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

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**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Str. Luenho, tons 2,568 Captain Jackson, will leave on Monday, June 10, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., General Managers Tel. No. 240, Freight Tel. No. 250.

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Str. Suiwo, tons 2,671 Captain Sellar, will leave on Tuesday, June 11, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For

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**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Chungking, Capt. J. Meathrel, will leave on Tuesday, June 11, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield & Swire, Agents, French Bund, Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Newcomb, Captain Newcomb, will leave from the French Bund on Wednesday, June 12, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield & Swire, Agents, French Bund, Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. Tatung Capt. C. C. Williams, will leave from the French Bund on Friday, June 14, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield & Swire, Agents, French Bund, Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

**HANKOW & PORTS.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Wuchang, Captain Pickard, will leave on Saturday, June 15, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Agents, Tel. No. 77.

## For Southern Ports

**WENCHOW.**—The Str. Kwangchi Capt. J. H. Daves, will leave on Saturday afternoon. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

**FOOCHOW.**—The Steamer Hsinchi, Captain E. Hansen, will leave on Sunday morning. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

**NINGPO.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. Hsin Peking, Captain A. Scott, R.N.R. will leave from the

French Bund on Monday, June 10, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield & Swire, Agents, French Bund, Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

**SWATOW AND HONGKONG.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Yinchow, Captain E. B. Simons, will leave from the French Bund on Tuesday, June 11, at noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield & Swire, Agents, French Bund, Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

**HONGKONG AND CANTON.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. Shinkiang, Capt. H. A. Wavell, will leave on Tuesday, June 11, at noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield & Swire, Agents, French Bund, Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

**AMOI, HONGKONG & CANTON.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. Suiyang, Captain J. Gibbs, will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on Thursday, June 13, at daylight. For Freight or Passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Agents, French Bund, Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

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**SWATOW & HONGKONG.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. Kaifong Capt. E. J. Pottinger, will leave from the French Bund on Sunday, June 16, at daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield & Swire, Agents, French Bund, Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

## For Northern Ports

**WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIEN-TSIN.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Shengking, Capt. McIntosh, will leave from the French Bund on Saturday, June 8, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield & Swire, Agents, French Bund, Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

**WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIEN-TSIN.**—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Shuntien, Capt. Northcombe, will leave from the French Bund on Tuesday, June 11, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield & Swire, Agents, French Bund, Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

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"AFRICA MARU" ... (18,000 tons) Capt. H. Yamamoto, June 13, June 14  
"MANILA MARU" ... (18,000 tons) Capt. N. Kobayashi, July 26, July 27

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## Men-of-War In Port

Section	Date	From	Name	Flag	Rating	Tons	Guns	Man	Commander
B.V.III	Apr.	Cruise	Chiyoda	Jap. g-b.	..	..	..	..	..
M.M.B.	Apr.	Cruise	D. de Lagree	Fr. g-b.	..	..	..	..	..
C.N.W.P.	Oct. 24	Cruise	Nightingale	Br. g-b.	..	..	..	..	..
P.A.O.B.		Cruise	Villalobos	Am. g-b.	..	..	..	..	..

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Key West ..... Aug. 9	
(cargo only)	

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SHINYO MARU	22,000 tons for San Francisco	July 19,



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FUSHIMI MARU	1,000	Capt. N. Teranaka	June 16
KASHIMA MARU	19,000	Capt. I. Tanawa	June 20

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YAMASHIRO MARU	7,000	Capt. Y. Nakajima	June 14
CHIKUGO MARU	8,000	Capt. K. Saida	June 18
TATEGAMI MARU	4,500	Capt. N. Tsuruhashi	June 25

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MISEMA MARU	16,000	Capt. S. Murasimi	June 26
KOBE TO SEATTLE		Capt. K. Inatsu	July 12

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## Large Display Advertisements

intended for the Sunday issue of The China Press should be sent in before 5 p.m. on Friday.

## Peking Tries Hard to Show Present Election Is Genuine

Inspired Statement in Press Says It Is Representative But Glosses A Few Facts

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Peking, June 3.—An obviously inspired statement has been issued to the press here setting forth the accomplishments of the Department of Elections of the Ministry of the Interior. The statement is intended to show that the elections now proceeding are based on a broad franchise, and are steadily moving to a highly desirable consummation in the election of a truly popular Parliament. On the figures given the result is certainly much more satisfactory than could have been expected, but it is nothing like so good as the supplied deductions from the figures would suggest.

According to the figures given for twelve electoral areas the total number of electors for those areas is 15,108,570, made up as follows: Chihli, 3,240,981; Fengtien, 892,844; Kirin, 232,050; Heilungkiang, 137,100; Kiangsu, 2,779,600; Anhwei, 1,324,579; Shantung, 1,623,566; Honan, 2,865,992; Shansi, 1,154,310; Chahar, 168,972; Chinghai, 670,259; Kueisui, 19,237. The inspired statement says:

"Whatever may be thought of constitutional government in China, it must be admitted that the figures given above for the various provinces and administrative areas reveal a fairly broad franchise. Taking the metropolitan province of Chihli, the returns indicate that practically one-seventh of the population vote in the primary election, which is roughly one voter per family. True, the other provinces do not show the same high proportion, but that is explained by local circumstances. On the face of the returns quoted we may infer that the new parliament will really represent the people and not a particular section."

There is hardly a statement in this paragraph that is not open to question. Leaving out the generalization that is contained in the first sentence, we may first examine the figures for the metropolitan province of Chihli. The latest Maritime Customs report gives the population of the province at 29,400,000. Dividing this by the number of voters, 3,240,981, we find that the proportion of voters is not one in seven, as the inspired statement suggests, but actually less than one in nine. Again, we are told that one voter in each seven of population in Chihli means "roughly one voter per family." It means nothing of the sort if the Government's own figures are worth anything. The official figures for the latest census give five mouths per family in the province of Chihli, so that the number of electors is not only less than one in nine

but is one for every two families, instead of one for every family.

The statement that "other provinces do not show the same high proportion" is not supportable by facts. The total population of the twelve districts given is approximately 150,000,000. The number of voters is given as 15,108,570, which figures give slightly less than one voter to every nine inhabitants, practically the same as for the province of Chihli. The inspired statement suggests the existence of certain facts which, if true, would demonstrate that the authorities have paid no heed to the very principles on which the franchise is supposed to be based. The electoral franchise is supposed to be established on the same basis throughout the Republic, and as there is no very great variation in the character of the population, electorally regarded, the proportion of electors to inhabitants ought to be practically the same throughout the country. If it is not, then those responsible for the electoral arrangements and for the compilation of the register of voters have, or ought to have, something for which to answer.

The last sentence of all is the most open to question. It would be quite possible for an even more widely distributed electorate than this is to be representative of merely a section. Thus, the peasant class could easily supply the one man in ten required to establish the present voting ratio. On the other hand, it would not be difficult, if one were determined to do it, to distribute the franchise in such a way as to exclude entirely the peasant and agricultural class. The mere figures supplied do not prove anything in this connection.

At the same time it must be admitted that for a beginning one in nine is a fair proportion of voters to inhabitants. This means that about eleven percent of the population is on the electoral register, which may be compared with the following percentages of the total population of European states enjoying franchise rights before the war, and thus before electoral reforms in several countries: France, 27.0; Switzerland, 23.5; Greece, 23.0; Spain, 22.4; Belgium, 21.5; Germany, 21.2; Bulgaria, 21.2; Norway, 19.9; Austria, 19.5; Portugal, 19.0; Great Britain, 16.5; Denmark, 14.4; Serbia, 14.0; Hungary, 14.0; Italy, 7.1; Sweden, 6.7; Poland, 5.4. Thus, the twelve administrative districts of China mentioned above come between Holland and Italy, which, it must be admitted, is a very fair state of affairs after only six years' representative institutions.

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL TO MEET TOMORROW

Conference Of St. Joseph Will Hold Annual Meeting At Catholic Circle Hall

The general meeting of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Conference of St. Joseph, will be held tomorrow at 11 a.m. in the Hall of the Shanghai Catholic Circle. The Very Reverend Father H. Gilot, S. J., Superior of the Kiangnan Mission, will preside and all interested in the work are welcome to attend. A collection will be made following the meeting for the benefit of the Society's funds.

The report of the Society for the year ending December 31, 1917 shows that during the year 44 meetings were held, with an average attendance of 12 active members. During the year three new members enrolled while there was one resignation. In relief work the Society now has under its care 34 families whose weekly grants total 130 catties of rice and \$19.20. The monthly grants including allowances for house rent etc., are \$54.50, besides an allowance of \$25 for the support of several orphans at St. Francis Xavier's College.

At the general meeting of May 6, over which Father Gilot presided, there was not a very large attendance and the sum of \$445.69 was collected. The Christmas collection amounted to \$342.40 and provided necessities for many poor families besides contributing to the annual Christmas Tree Party for the poor, given in St. Holy Family School, and also to a similar feast for poor boys held at St. Francis Xavier's College.

The accounts for the year show a decrease of \$975.82 while expenses exceeded those of the year before by \$471.38. Thanks of the Committee are expressed to the Municipal Council for remission of taxes, to Mr. P. O'Brien Twigg for reduction in cost of medical supplies, to the Social Charity Fund for their Christmas donation and to all members, subscribers and friends who have helped and shown an interest in the work.

The report is signed by the Committee, Mr. H. C. Lubek, president; Mr. B. A. da Cruz, vice-president; Mr. D. M. G. Gutierrez, secretary; and F. X. S. M. Gutierrez, treasurer.

## The Shanghai Chemical Laboratory

No. 4 Canton Road

## SHANGHAI-NANKING RAILWAY ABRIDGED TIME TABLE

Shanghai North To Nanking—Up (Main Line)										Nanking To Shanghai North—Down									
STATIONS	Local	Express	Fast	3rd	2nd	1st	Local	Express	Fast	STATIONS	Local	Express	Fast	3rd	2nd	1st	Local	Express	Fast
SHANGHAI NORTH	7.45	8.30	9.40	10.45	11.55	12.50	1.00	1.15	1.30	PEKING	11.40	12.50	1.00	1.15	1.30	1.45	1.55	2.10	2.25
WUJIAO	7.55	8.40	9.50	10.55	12.05	13.00	1.10	1.25	1.40	TIENTSIN	1.00	2.10	2.20	2.35	2.50	3.05	3.15	3.30	3.45
CHANGCHOW	8.05	8.50	10.00	11.05	12.15	13.10	1.20	1.35	1.50	CENTRAL	2.20	3.30	3.40	3.55	4.10	4.25	4.35	4.50	5.05
YANGTUNG	8.15	9.00	10.10	11.15	12.25	13.20	1.30	1.45	2.00	TSINANFU	3.40	4.50	5.00	5.15	5.30	5.45	5.55	6.10	6.25
CHINKIANG	8.25	9.10	10.20	11.25	12.35	13.30	1.40	1.55	2.10	PUKOW	4.40	5.50	6.00	6.15	6.30	6.45	6.55	7.10	7.25
NANKING	8.35	9.20	10.30	11.35	12.45	13.40	1.50	2.05	2.20	NANKING	7.20	8.30	8.40	8.55	9.10	9.25	9.35	9.50	10.05
										CHINKIANG	8.40	9.50	10.00	10.15	10.30	10.45	10.55	11.10	11.25
										YANGTUNG	9.40	10.50	11.00	11.15	11.30	11.45	11.55	12.10	12.25
										CHANGCHOW	10.40	11.50	12.00	12.15	12.30	12.45	12.55	1.10	1.25
										WUJIAO	11.40	12.50	13.00	13.15	13.30	13.45	13.55	1.25	1.40
										SHANGHAI NORTH	12.40	1.50	2.00	2.15	2.30	2.45	2.55	3.10	3.25
										SHANGHAI	1.40	2.50	3.00	3.15	3.30	3.45	3.55	4.10	4.25

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STATIONS	Local	Express	Fast	3rd	2nd	1st	Local	Express	Fast	STATIONS	Local	Express	Fast	3rd	2nd	1st	Local	Express	Fast
WOOSUNG FORTS	6.30	6.45	6.55	7.05	7.15	7.25	7.35	7.45	7.55	SHANGHAI NORTH	11.40	12.50	1.00	1.15	1.30	1.45	1.55	2.10	2.25
SHANGHAI NORTH	7.55	8.10	8.20	8.30	8.40	8.50	9.00	9.10	9.20	WOOSUNG FORTS	12.40	1.50	2.00	2.15	2.30	2.45	2.55	3.10	3.25

## SHANGHAI-HANGCHOW-NINGPO RAILWAY ABRIDGED TIME TABLE

SHANGHAI NORTH TO ZAHKOU—"DOWN" MAIN LINE										ZAHKOU TO SHANGHAI NORTH—"UP"									
STATIONS	Local	Express	Fast	3rd	2nd	1st	Local	Express	Fast	STATIONS	Local	Express	Fast	3rd	2nd	1st	Local	Express	Fast
Shanghai North	7.35	8.30	9.40	10.45	11.55	12.50	1.00	1.15	1.30	Zahkou	6.50	7.55	8.50	9.55	10.55	11.55	12.05	12.20	12.35
Jiaohai	7.45	8.40	9.50	10.55	12.05	13.00	1.10	1.25	1.40	Hangchow	7.00	8.00	8.50	9.55	10.55	11.55	12.05	12.20	12.35
Shanghai South	7.55	8.50	9.50	10.55	12.05	13.00	1.20	1.35	1.50	Changshu	8.04	9.04	9.55	10.55	11.55	12.55	13.05	13.20	13.35
Lungchow Junction	8.05	9.00	10.00	11.05	12.15	13.20	1.30	1.45	2.00	Yangchow	8.41	9.41	10.35	11.35	12.35	13.35	13.45	13.60	13.75
Sungking	8.15	9.10	10.10	11.15	12.25	13.30	1.40	1.55	2.10	Kiaochow	9.18	10.18	11.15	12.15	13.15	14.15	14.25	14.40	14.55
Shanghai North	8.25	9.20	10.20	11.25	12.35	13.40	1.50	2.05	2.20	Shanghai North	10.18	11.18	12.15	13.15	14.15	15.15	15.25	15.40	15.55
										Lungchow Junction	10.58	11.58	12.55	13.55	14.55	15.55	16.05	16.20	16.35
										Shanghai South	11.58	12.58	13.55	14.55	15.55	16.55	17.05	17.20	17.35
										Lungchow Junction	12.58	13.58	14.55	15.55	16.55	17.55	18.05	18.20	18.35
										Shanghai North	13.58	14.58	15.55	16.55	17.55	18.55	19.05	19.20	19.35

KONZENCHIAO TO ZAHKOU										KIANGSHOO BRANCH LINE									
STATIONS	Local	Express	Fast	3rd	2nd	1st	Local	Express	Fast	STATIONS	Local	Express	Fast	3rd	2nd	1st	Local	Express	Fast
Konzenchiao	8.50	9.10	9.20	9.30	9.40	9.50	10.00	10.10	10.20	Zahkou	7.30	7.40	7.50	8.00	8.10	8.20	8.30	8.40	8.50
Hangchow	9.10	9.20	9.30	9.40	9.50	10.00	10.10	10.20	10.30	Hangchow	7.40	7.50	8.00	8.10	8.20	8.30	8.40	8.50	9.00
Shanghai North	9.30	9.40	9.50	10.00	10.10	10.20	10.30	10.40	10.50	Konzenchiao	7.50	8.00	8.10	8.20	8.30	8.40	8.50	9.00	9.10
Zahkou	9.50	10.00	10.10	10.20	10.30	10.40	10.50	11.00	11.10										

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L. W. HAWKINS,  
Secretary.

Shanghai, 4th June, 1918.

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## Whangpoo Conservancy Board

Notification No. 77.

A position is vacant in the Board's service as Engineer of the Board's floating pumping plant "Hai Ching" and, alternatively, as Overseer of a Repair- and Work-Shop.

Applicants, holding certificates as mechanical or marine engineers, are requested to hand in personally their written applications with copies of testimonials before noon, June 12th, to the Engineering Department, 6 Kiukiang Road.

Shanghai, 6th June, 1918.

H. VON HEIDENSTAM,

Engineer-in-Chief.  
18294 J.S.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 2518. (Amended).

SPECIAL CONSTABLES.

THE Council invites applications from male residents of the Settlement of 21 years of age and upwards, who are not members of either the Volunteer Corps or the Fire Brigade, for enrolment for service under the Council as Special Constables.

Selected applicants, who will enter into agreements with the Council terminable upon one month's notice, will be required to attend periodical drills, to pass a course in the use of fire arms and to undertake such duty as may be assigned to them, entailing under normal circumstances night duty for two hours at a time twice a week, between 6 p.m. and 12 mid-night.

Applications for enrolment should be made in writing marked "Special Constables" and addressed to the Captain Superintendent of Police at the Central Police Station.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

Acting Secretary.

Council Room,

Shanghai, May 4, 1918.

## The International Recreation Club

## KIANGWAN RACES

45th GYMKHANA MEETING.  
13th and 15th JUNE, 1918.  
(Thursday and Saturday.)

ENTRIES for all events close on Saturday, 8th June, 1918, at 8 p.m. at the Club House, 126 Bubbling Well Road.  
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By order,

Y. S. DAY,

Secretary.

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## NOTICE

We beg to inform the public that the silk merchants and firms who are connected with our guild are not associated with the International Committee for the Improvement of Sericulture in China, which has recently been organized by the foreign merchants and the Chinese Silk Cocoon Merchants' Guild in Shanghai. For fear of misunderstandings, this notice is inserted in the leading Chinese and Foreign newspapers.

THE CHINESE SILK GUILD,

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By order of the Board of Governors,  
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